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PREFACE

WHILE I lived in Europe I took it for granted that there was such a thing as American pronunciation; I took it equally for granted that educated Americans used and respected American pronunciation just in the same way as educated English people use and respect English pronunciation or that educated Scots use and respect Scottish pronunciation. On this matter, no question arose in my mind; it seemed in the natural order of things that it should be so. My English friends (phoneticians and others) held the same view. Some of my phonetician friends even expressed the view that to advocate the adoption of British pronunciation in the United States would be in point of impertinence about equal to advocating the adoption of the British flag in the United States.

Coming to Japan four years ago, and thereby coming into very close contact with the not inconsiderable American population here, I discovered certain disconcerting facts concerning this matter of pronunciation. I would be engaged in conversation with an English-speaking person, and eventually enquire from what part of England he hailed.

The Stranger: Oh, I'm American.

Myself: Really? Naturalized?

The Stranger: Oh no, native born. A hundred per cent American.

Myself [*too astonished to be tactful*]: But, but, you . . . well . . . you pronounce English just as if you were English!

The Stranger [*too annoyed to be gentle*]: Well, hang it all, man, I hope you don't suppose that all Americans are backwoodsmen or raw country hayseeds comparable to the yokels of Sussex or Yorkshire!

That sort of conversation, repeated in modified form with other Americans, made me realize that the people who grow red and angry at the mention or the assumption of American

pronunciation are the Americans themselves. Not all, of course, but still, a good many.

I receive publications and pamphlets from America, ay, and letters too, all assuring me that there is no such thing as Standard American Pronunciation, or, worse, that what many call "American Pronunciation" is synonymous with "Amurrican Pronunciation," in other terms, the "Uneducated Pronunciation of America" or "Cockney American." I am assured that there is only one pronunciation that is ever worth mentioning or thinking about, and that is neither British nor American nor Scottish nor Slocum-in-the-Hole pronunciation, but simply "Good Pronunciation," the same for America as for the British Isles and Empire.

Then comes Professor Wyld, who states (backing up his statements with incontrovertible evidence) that what many have termed "Southern English" or "British English" has a name but no local habitation, and the name is "Received Standard," the same for England (South or North) as for America (East, Canada, West or Southern States).

Nevertheless, I have taken the initiative in proposing that column in this dictionary entitled "American Variants," that is to say: Pronunciations found in America which differ from the pronunciation of those American and British friends of mine who use the Received Pronunciation.

My above-mentioned American friends and correspondents are protesting against this column, which they consider to be a pillory rather than a pedestal.

But let us look at the other side. For every one of my American friends, acquaintances or correspondents who uses the Received Pronunciation, I know about ten who do not. Some of them even allude to the Received Pronunciation as a local dialect confined to London and its environs. Then I have before me the works of Professor Krapp and the book of Professor Kenyon, evidences of scholarly research. On both sides a place is claimed for the pronunciation which is that of the vast majority of educated Americans. Then we have the evidence afforded by Hempl's dictionary, and a host of other witnesses testifying not only to the existence of

American pronunciation, but to its eligibility to be considered as American Standard Pronunciation.

Not to mention the evidence of Professor Mencken who, going beyond the bounds of American Pronunciation, claims the rights of the American Language.

And so with the help of one of my American colleagues, who with me has verified most of the statements made by American phoneticians, I have ventured to make one of the chief features of this dictionary the column entitled "American Variants."

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INTRODUCTORY

The Object of this Dictionary

THE object of this dictionary is threefold:

(1) To provide phoneticians, students of phonetics, and foreign students of English with a dictionary using the "narrower" system of English phonetic notation.

By "narrower system of English phonetic notation" is meant any system that makes use of the symbols [ɪ], [ɛ], [ɒ], [ʊ], [ɜ]. For some years past the tendency to use the narrower system has been increasing. The *Maître Phonétique*, the organ of the International Phonetic Association, makes an exclusive use of it, as does also the supplement *Textes pour nos élèves*. School textbooks using this notation have made their appearance, and their number is growing. What has been lacking, however, is a dictionary to serve as a key to the narrower notation and to the way of using it. The first object of the present dictionary is to provide such a key.

(2) To provide an English pronouncing dictionary that will include not only the more important variants in that sort of English pronunciation which may be called "Received," but also the more important variants used by educated Americans whose standard of pronunciation is other than Received.

Whether such a thing exists as Standard American Pronunciation we are prepared neither to affirm nor to deny. It may, however, be affirmed that the vast majority of Americans and Canadians use a pronunciation which varies considerably from that pronunciation called by Jones in the latest edition of his dictionary "Received Pronunciation" (identical with the P.S.P. of earlier editions) and by Wyld "Received Standard Pronunciation." In this dictionary we have attempted to record that variety of American pronunciation that seems most characteristic of educated speakers.

(3) To provide foreign students of English and their teachers (including those who are engaged in composing textbooks for them) with a vocabulary selected in such a way as to include essential and to exclude non-essential words.

On the principle of "All beginnings are difficult," the first few thousand English words are more difficult for the foreign student than the many thousands that he may learn subsequently. The foreign student, bewildered at the extent and variety of our English vocabulary, rarely knows which words are of importance and which are without importance for his purpose. Our selection may be considered as a collection of "Words worth Learning"; it constitutes a vocabulary of "Plain English," excluding alike the trivial on one hand, and the decorative on the other. The vocabulary therefore has been deliberately restricted, so that many comparatively frequent words will not be found in it. (See pp. xxi-xxviii, "Choice of Words.")

Utility of this Book

This book may prove of general utility to those who wish to ascertain the most usual pronunciations in England and America of some 9000 of the most useful English words and their inflected forms.

It may help an English or American student better to realize what sounds he uses when he speaks. This knowledge will be particularly useful to him when he is learning the pronunciation of foreign languages, or if he should be called upon to teach his own pronunciation of English.

By comparing the forms given in the two columns, the British student of pronunciation will better be enabled to familiarize himself with the forms characteristic of the speech of (probably) the majority of educated Americans; the user of Received Pronunciation (be he British or American) will better be enabled to realize the differences between his dialect and a dialect which is not his; and the American student whose pronunciation is not Received will be better enabled to realize what Received Pronunciation is, and to

what extent Received Pronunciation is a class dialect rather than a Regional Pronunciation of speakers living in London and the South of England.

The foreign student of English will realize the important fact, fundamental to all linguistic study, that great variations of pronunciation exist and are likely to be expected.

Foreign students whose circumstances are likely to bring them into contact with America rather than with England will find it to their advantage to realize the nature of what has probably been represented to them as American pronunciation, and to familiarize themselves with it.

Lastly, the facts recorded in this dictionary will furnish evidence to those who wish to see realised certain reforms of existing pronunciations on either side of the Atlantic.

Pronunciation

In the present dictionary two distinct types of pronunciation are given, each in its respective column.

The one is headed *Received Pronunciation* (which term we may abbreviate to R.P.), and the other *American Variants* (which term we may abbreviate to A.V.).

A casual observer, glancing at these two columns, is likely to assume that the first stands for that local pronunciation characteristic of the southern counties of England, and that the second is that local pronunciation characteristic of certain parts of the United States. Or his assumption may take a more concise and more generalized form; the first is British and the second is American. Or, moved by linguistic prejudice, the casual observer may (according to the direction of his bias) stigmatize the first as "cockney" or the second as "Amurrican."

But his assumptions are ill-founded.

In the South of England, as in the North, as in Scotland, Ireland or America, there are regional pronunciations, but these Southern English Regional pronunciations (including cockney) have no closer connection with R.P. than have certain regional pronunciations of the United States or Canada.

If it required a Jones[1] to describe and set forth the nature of what he called Received Pronunciation, it required a Wyld[2] to show us conclusively, what ought to have been self-evident, that this pronunciation (called by him Received Standard Pronunciation) is not one of the regional pronunciations at all, but a special sort of class dialect that is independent of locality.

The casual observer may be excused if he shares the illusion so widely prevalent, viz. that all educated people pronounce alike. If it were true that all educated people pronounced alike, there would certainly be no need for a dictionary showing variant pronunciations, American or other.

Whether the existence of a Standard American pronunciation is a myth or not is a matter which hardly concerns those who have collaborated in writing the A.V. column. We note, however, that when we do hear protests against the types of pronunciation figuring in this column, the protests almost invariably come from American users of R.P.

Although the comparison of these two columns may indirectly throw some light on certain divergencies between British and American usages, the two columns are not intended to set forth and to contrast British and American pronunciations.

A user of R.P. is by no means necessarily an inhabitant of the British Isles, nor of England in particular, still less perhaps of London, a city in which probably the majority of natives consider R.P. only slightly less humorous than the rawest of American dialectal pronunciations.

The column headed *Received Pronunciation* is intended to show one way (or more than one way) in which words are pronounced by *those speakers who are the least influenced by Regional Dialects* (such as Cockney, Devonshire, Yorkshire, Edinburgh, Belfast, New England, New York, Toronto, Middle West, Southern States, or other). In this column is

[1] *An English Pronouncing Dictionary* (Dent), Professor D. Jones, University College, London.

[2] *A History of Modern Colloquial English* (Fisher Unwin), Professor H. C. Wyld, Merton College, Oxford.

included a number of those variants which are commonly heard among the same class of speakers.

The column headed *American Variants* (as the heading implies) is not intended to represent any given standard of pronunciation. Its object is to provide a place for noting variants which are rarely heard beyond the limits of the United States and Canada.

A given native hundred-per-cent American or Canadian may or may not use R.P. Similarly, a given native hundred-per-cent Englishman or Scot may or may not use R.P. But rare are the cases, if any, of an Englishman or Scot using habitually the pronunciations shown in the A.V. column.

We trust some day to see a similar dictionary (or a new edition of this one) providing a third column for *Scottish Variants*, and then probably some of us will be astonished to find how much more these will occasionally differ from R.P. than do the American Variants. Among other examples we might see:

	R.P.	A.V.	Sc.V.
first	fə·st	fɜəst	fərst
harmonious	hɑ'mounɪəs	hɑə'mounɪəs	hər'monjəs
where	*h*wɛə	hwɛə	ʍe·r, ʍɛ·r
thither	'ðɪðə	'ðɪðə	'θɪθər, 'ðɪðər

Those who have had little occasion to reflect upon the problems involved in composing a pronouncing dictionary may imagine the work to be one of elementary simplicity. "It is quite a simple matter: you write down in the most appropriate system of notation the pronunciation that seems to be in the greatest conformity with correct usage." Even the far more difficult and delicate duty of distinguishing between variants which are American and variants which are not may give the impression of being one involving no considerations beyond that of accurate observation.

"Take a typical American, hear him pronounce each word, and whenever his pronunciation differs from the typical pronunciation of the user of Received Pronunciation, write down his pronunciation in the column reserved for American Variants."

Such empirical methods as these, however, will not suffice. Moreover, there are in the above two pieces of well-meant advice three or four examples of question-begging. We have to ask ourselves, "What *is* the most appropriate system of notation" (especially for a pronouncing dictionary that includes more than one dialect)?

And we have to determine in some way or other the meaning of the term "good usage," avoiding on the one hand the trivial and slovenly, and on the other the pedantic and affected.

Then again what is a "typical American"? It is only a little less difficult than finding a "typical Briton."

From the point of view of certain Americans, the procedure might be reversed, as "Take a typical Briton; hear him pronounce each word, and whenever his pronunciation makes you laugh, write down his pronunciation in the column reserved for Briticisms."

But the finest example of question-begging is represented by the term "user of Received Pronunciation," for until we have defined the term Received Pronunciation (and, not content with defining it, come to realize what it stands for), we shall be no nearer the solution of our problems.

Empiricism, an excellent thing in its way, is insufficient for the solving of the two main problems involved in the composing of a dictionary such as this.

The first problem is "What is Received Pronunciation"?

The second problem is: "In our phonetic notations, are we to use one symbol for every sound or one symbol for every phone"? The second problem we shall consider in its right place. The first problem cannot well be discussed without reference to Wyld, who is the originator of the term Received Standard Dialect, and apparently the discoverer of the abstraction for which the term stands.

"Dialect"

In popular usage, the term "dialect" is generally taken to mean: variety of a language other than the standard type, such as local *patois*. In this sense, the term "dialect" is

used as the antithesis of "standard" or "classical," and implies a certain amount of reproach or disdain. Among philologists, however, the term "dialect" is used in the sense of: *any* variety of a given language, including its most standard or classical variety. Thus Wyld speaks of Regional Dialects, of the Received Standard Dialects and of Modified Standard Dialects. In the same sense, we may use such terms as the "American Dialect" of English, or the "Court Dialect of fourteenth century English," or the "Academic Dialect" of French, etc., etc.

"Dialect" and "Pronunciation"

Any dialect is marked off from any other dialect by three criteria: Pronunciation, Grammar and Vocabulary. So far as English is concerned, the factor of pronunciation is the most important. Wyld says, in this connection:

"A great deal has been said about different types of dialect, and it is well to be quite clear as to the nature of the distinctions which separate these. It will be convenient to deal with these under the three main heads of Pronunciation, Accidence, or Grammatical forms, and Vocabulary."

"Perhaps the most important characteristic of dialect is its pronunciation. At the present time, it is certainly this feature which chiefly distinguishes Received Standard from the different kinds of Modified Standard, especially when the latter, as so often happens, is spoken by persons who are more or less highly educated. Such people will hardly differ in their grammar from Received Standard, and as regards Vocabulary, except in a limited number of familiar colloquialisms and slang which certainly do vary from class to class, it may be said that, on the whole, persons of the same kind or degree of instruction possess approximately the same range of words."

When, therefore, we speak of the Received Standard Dialect, or of the Regional Dialects, or of the Modified Standard Dialects, the compilers of this pronouncing dictionary are concerned solely with the pronunciation aspect of these dialects. What Jones calls Received Pronunciation

is hardly anything other than the pronunciation aspect of Wyld's "Received Standard Dialect."

The Wyld Theory of Dialect

Henry Cecil Wyld, Merton Professor of English Language and Literature at Oxford, in his various books and articles,[1] has set forth the only theory of English dialect which (in its broad lines at any rate) affords a simple and reasonable explanation of linguistic facts as we find them. From one point of view, however, Wyld errs on the side of over-conscientiousness in his scholarly research. Although his theory fits the linguistic facts of English in England and America, he makes no statement that he cannot prove, and we therefore find in his works no reference to the place of Received Standard in America, nor indeed any reference whatever to America (either the United States or Canada). The theory explains the facts of dialects other than those of English. It seems of equal application notably to languages so widely differing as French and Japanese.

The limited space afforded by the introductory pages of a dictionary such as this renders it impossible to set forth the theory in the actual words of Professor Wyld, but the following (partly quoted, partly abridged, partly interpreted freely) may give a sufficiently clear idea of the theory in question. The remarks added between parentheses are our own, and may not represent Wyld's opinion.

Regional Dialects.

Written English is fixed and uniform. On the other hand, we find almost endless variety in the spoken language. It is apparent that two or three different types of spoken English differ very much from each other in almost every respect. Their sounds are different, so too, in many respects are the grammatical forms, and there are differences in the names of quite common objects.

[1] Notably: *The Historical Study of the Mother Tongue* (Murray); *The Place of the Mother Tongue in National Education* (Murray); *The Growth of English* (Murray); *A History of Modern Colloquial English* (Fisher Unwin).

As a rule, when we speak of English dialects we mean varieties of English which are associated with particular geographical areas or countries. Many of these types are distinguished, according to the popular view, chiefly by possessing a more or less strange pronunciation and certain elements in their vocabulary which are not current in every part of the country, and especially not among the more educated portion of the community. Speech varieties of this kind confined to particular areas, we may call Regional Dialects.

Received Standard.

By the side of these, there are numerous other types of English which are not characteristic of any special geographical area, but rather of social divisions or sections of the population, in other terms they are types of English which are tinged neither with the Northern nor Midland, nor Southern (Wyld might have added: nor Eastern, Middle-West, or Southern States) peculiarities of speech, which give no indication, in fact, of where the speaker comes from—the form of English which is generally known simply as *Good English, Well-bred English, Upper-class English,* and it is sometimes, too vaguely, referred to as *Standard English.* Received Standard is spoken, within certain social boundaries, with an extraordinary degree of uniformity all over the country (we might add: and the English-speaking world). It is not any more the English of London, as it is sometimes mistakenly maintained, than it is of York (we might add: *New* York), or Exeter, or Cirencester or Oxford, or Chester, or Leicester (we might add: Harvard, or Chicago, or New Orleans, or San Francisco). In each and all of these places, and in many others throughout the length and breadth of England (we might replace "England" by "the English-speaking world"), Received Standard is spoken among the same kind of people, and it is spoken everywhere, allowing for individual idiosyncrasies, to all intents and purposes, in precisely the same way.

It has been suggested that perhaps the main factor in this singular degree of uniformity is the custom of sending

youths from certain social strata to the great public schools.

(But this does not account for the uniformity of Received Standard pronunciation among those Americans who use it.) If we were to say that Received English at the present day is Public School English, we should not be far wrong.

Since this form of English is not now confined to any one province, but is spoken by people of corresponding education and cultivation all over the country, we say that it is no longer *Regional Dialect*, but the dialect of a class, using the word in a very wide sense. (Or, to be precise, in Great Britain by the *majority* of people of corresponding education and cultivation, and, considering a wider geographical field, by a certain number of people of corresponding education and cultivation, in the United States and Canada.)

Modified Standard.

By the side of Received Standard there exist innumerable varieties, all more or less resembling Received Standard, but differing from it in all sorts of subtle ways. These varieties are certainly not Regional Dialects, and, just as certainly, they are not Received Standard. Until recently it has been usual to regard them as being practically identical with Received Standard, and to group them together with it under the general title of Standard English or Educated English. This old classification was very inadequate, since it ignored the existence of more than one Class Dialect, and included under a single title many varieties which differ as much from what we now call Received Standard as this does from the Regional Dialects.

It is now proposed to call these variants *Modified Standard*. This additional term is a great gain to clear thinking. These forms of Modified Standard may, in some cases, differ but slightly from Received Standard, so that they are felt merely as eccentricities by speakers of the latter; in others they differ very considerably, and in several ways, from this type, and are regarded as vulgarisms. It is a grave error to assume that what are known as "educated" persons, meaning thereby highly trained, instructed and learned persons, invariably

speak Received Standard. Naturally, such speakers do not make "mistakes" in grammar, they may have a high and keen perception of the right uses of words, but with all this they may, and often do, use a type of pronunciation which is quite alien to Received Standard, either in isolated words or in whole groups. These deviations from the habits of Received Standard may be shown just as readily in over-careful pronunciation (as when *t* is pronounced in *often*) as in too careless a pronunciation (as when buttered toast is pronounced *butter toce*). Again the deviation from Received Standard may be in another direction. There may be simply a difference of sound, as when *clerk* is made to rhyme with *shirk*.

Different social grades have different standards of what is becoming in speech, as they have in dress or manners. Thus, for example, where some habitually use *'em*, *ain't*, *broke* (past participle), *shillin*, others would regard such usage with disapproval.

Wyld then goes on to show that one type of London speech of the fourteenth century is the ancestor not only of Literary English, but also of our present-day Received Standard.

In concluding these observations and quotations having reference to dialects and pronunciation types, we may say in the spirit that inspired the Jones dictionary: to those who believe that a universal standard of English pronunciation is necessary must be left the task of deciding what is to be approved and what is to be condemned. This book will provide them with certain materials which will serve as data for their invidious task.

How the facts were ascertained

Thanks to the painstaking work accomplished over ten years ago by Jones during the preparation of his dictionary, the bulk of the materials used in the present dictionary were already to hand when the compilers started their work. With very few exceptions, we have accepted the facts as stated by Jones, and divergencies from his treatment are rare. But, for more than one reason, the facts afforded by the Jones

dictionary were too voluminous and too detailed to be incorporated in their entirety into the present work.

In the first place, the greater the choice of variant pronunciations, the greater the *embarras du choix* on the part of those for whom this dictionary is primarily designed. We have to reduce to the minimum the number of variant pronunciations both on the side of the R.P. and of the A.V. columns. Moreover, our attempt to show the characteristic divergencies between R.P. usage and the usage of Americans who do not use R.P. has necessitated certain adjustments in both columns. Without such adjustments the divergencies would seem to be either greater or less than is really the case.

The evidence afforded by the phonetic transcription in Cassell's French-English and English-French Dictionary has been of value in many cases in which the choice between one or more variants presented difficulty. In certain cases the pronunciation of the English compilers, and the evidence offered by their own observations, have been used to determine doubtful points.

The tendency has been to level under one form variants of little importance or significance.

To ascertain the facts concerning the American variants, we have consulted the works of three American phoneticians: Hempl,[1] Krapp,[2] and Kenyon,[3] and brought them to concordance through the first-hand and second-hand evidence provided by Mr. J. V. Martin, whose pronunciation is characteristic of the educated American whose standard is other than the more or less special pronunciations of the Southern States and the Atlantic seaboard.

[1] *International French-English and English-French Dictionary*, Editorial critic of English Pronunciations: George Hempl, Professor of English Philology and General Linguistics in the University of Michigan, President of the American Dialect Society, and recently President of the American Philological Association, and President of the Modern Language Association of America.

[2] *Pronunciation of Standard English in America*, George Philip Krapp, Professor of English in Columbia University. *First Lessons in Speech Improvement*, Birmingham and Krapp.

[3] *American Pronunciation*, John Samuel Kenyon, Ph.D., Professor of the English Language in Hiram College.

Apparent Inconsistencies

With regard to apparent inconsistencies, we cannot do better than quote from the introduction to the Jones dictionary:

"A word may be said here on the 'inconsistency fallacy' because some critics of books on phonetics (particularly foreign critics) are always on the look-out for what they are pleased to call inconsistencies. Such critics have not fully realized the important fact that in linguistic matters consistency (so-called) means inaccuracy."

"In the best type of book on phonetics, viz. that which aims at recording accurately, there may be errors of observation, but there can be no such thing as inconsistency. The word 'inconsistency' presupposes the existence of rules or principles. The accurate record is not concerned with rules; it furnishes materials from which rules may be deduced, and if the material is complete or nearly so, the principles deduced therefrom will probably be correct."

Choice of Words

The object of the compilers has not been to present a exhaustive vocabulary, but, on the contrary, to furnish that sort of vocabulary which is likely to be of the greatest utility to those for whose use it is primarily designed. (See "The Object of this Dictionary.")

The selecting of the words was no simple task; to decide whether a given word should be included or excluded entailed the deep consideration of such questions as those of frequency, utility, proportion, style, and grammar. It was necessary to choose the words systematically, and in accordance with a more or less definite plan.

For reasons into which we cannot enter here, the principle of *relative frequency of occurrence* would not have proved adequate, otherwise we might have been content to use the various word-lists so painstakingly compiled, notably by American educationists.

The choice was determined largely by considerations set forth in the following pages.

Words may, of course, be classified in various ways. They may be classified grammatically, each category being a given part of speech. Again, nouns may be grouped under such headings as singular, plural, uncountable, common, proper, etc., and verbs may be classified under such headings as infinitive, present-tense, preterite, participles, transitive, intransitive, regular, irregular, etc. Words may be classified on a basis of etymology as when in English we distinguish words of Germanic, Latin, French, Greek, etc., origin.

But, in addition to such bases of classification, there is one which is concerned neither with grammar nor with etymology, but with what we may call (for want of a better term) *style, or tone colour*. The words *precious* and *valuable* are synonymous (so far as any two words may be synonymous), they are both adjectives, but they are distinguished by a something to which it is not easy to give a name. While awaiting the development of the science of Semantics[1] we must content ourselves with calling it "a difference of style" or "a difference of tone colour."

The word *precious* has an emotional content not suggested by the dry and matter-of-fact word *valuable*. Similarly, *to plunder* is of a different style-category (or has a tone colour different) from that of *to rob*, and *plight* from that of *predicament*.

Some words, then, convey not only a *concept*, but also the *emotion* felt by the user of such words. We may call them *words with emotional colour*, or *dramatic words*. Under the letter P we may note the following examples:

paltry	perish	plunder
pamper	pestilential	poesy
pander	piteous	precious
pang	plague	preposterous
peal	plead	prowess
perfidy	plenteous	puny
perilous		

Such words as these are used only when the speaker or

[1] Consult such works as *La Sémantique* (Bréal), *Significs and Language* (Welby), *The Meaning of Meaning* (Ogden and Richards), *Word Magic* (Ogden), etc., etc.

writer is actually moved with some sort of emotion (e.g. admiration, detestation, scorn, tenderness, protest, fear, etc.).

Closely allied to these are words which, without implying definite emotion on the part of the user, convey or suggest ideas in which there is some special "tone colour," words which are descriptive, even vividly so, evoking picturesque or striking images, of movements, of behaviour, or of appearance. Such words (which we may term *words of descriptive colour*) are part of the vocabulary of the "painter in words." Under the letter P, we may note the following examples:

peep	pettish	prank
peer	portly	prattle
peevish	pounce	prowl
pelt	prance	puffy
pert		

These "words of descriptive colour" lead almost insensibly into the group of onomatopœic words, in fact, onomatopœic words might be included as a subdivision of the group. The chief examples under P are:

patter	plash	pop
ping	plop	prickle
pish	pom	purr
pit-a-pat		

To these might be added such doubtful "words" as *pooh*, *pshaw* and *phew*.

These "words of descriptive colour" lead in their turn towards or into a style-category that might be called *trivial words*. They are "coloured" with the tints of jocularity or familiarity suggestive of the colloquial style as used among intimate friends. Under P, we find the following examples:

pal	phiz	poser (problem)
pants (noun)	phossy	pram
papa	piccanniny	preachify
pasty	pickaback	prig
peckish	piffle	pub
pelf	piggy	pup
pep	piggish	puss
peppery	podgy	pussy
pesky		

It will be seen that some of these are frankly slang words, others vulgar, others childish, etc.

Returning to the *words of emotional colour*, we note that these are words that are most frequently met with in the elevated styles of oratory and poetry. But there is another class of words which, for a different reason, produce the same or a very similar emotional effect. These are the archaic, obsolete and obsolescent words. Just as a ruin or an ancient building may have a greater appeal to the artist than a modern structure, so do most of our dead and dying words convey an impression of charm, of glamour and picturesqueness. Let us call these: *words of antique colour*. Out of a list of some forty words occurring under the letter P, we may note the following most typical examples:

panoply	philtre	pottage
paynim	pipkin	pottle
peradventure	plaguy	prepense
perchance	plaudit	prithee
perforce	pother	

Many words of this class are obsolete or obsolescent, for the simple reason that the objects, customs, etc., for which they stand are no longer extant. *Drawbridge* is a dying word, not by reason of anything inherent in the word itself, but to the fact that drawbridges themselves have become obsolete.

In a different category from any of these are words which are suggestive of dignity of diction; pompous words, sententious words; words which, when used too freely or in an inappropriate context, betray the pedant or the prig. Dignity in such cases lapses into pretentiousness, and the dignified into the stilted. So well is this recognized, unconscious though such recognition may be, that a certain type of humour consists in the facetious use of these words, which we may call *words of dignified colour*.

Among these, choosing once again our examples from words under P, we find

pabulum	potation	progeny
palpability	prandial	prognosticate
peregrinate	prefatorial	propinquity
pertain	prestidigitation	protuberance
peruse	predilection	proximity
pluvial	procrastinate	pusillanimity
ponderosity	profundity	

Another category, which may be divided into sub-categories, we may call *words of foreign classical and exotic colour*. Among those of French origin, we find

panache	personnel	penchant
persiflage	prestige	piquancy

among those of Latin origin:

peccavi	pomatum	paterfamilias
penates	proviso	

among those originating in America (including Spanish-American and American-Indian):

palaver	palmetto	powwow
parakeet	pampas	pueblo
papoose		

with which we may include

paleface and pathfinder

among those from the East:

pariah	pundit	punkah
pasha		

Returning to the vocabulary of pomposity, the *words of dignified colour*, we may here remark that there are two categories of words which are often unjustly confused with these, viz.

Technical words (including the terminology of science and special subjects), and *precise words*. (Or, continuing to use the term "colour" in designating the various categories, we may speak of these respectively as *words of technical colour* and *words tinted with the colour of precision*.)

Among the 120 or so *technical* words figuring under the letter P in an ordinary dictionary, we find such typical examples as:

phanerogam	pisciculture	pragmatism
pleonastic	plesiosaurus	phosphite
parthenogenesis	polonaise	patentee
pawl	piscina	polyandrous
parabola		

These technical words are, after all, nothing other than words of extreme precision as used by technicians whose

business it is to call by their names things which are relatively unknown to the majority of users of languages.

Under the letter P, we find about the same number of words which cannot be assigned to any particular branch of science or to any particular technical subject, but which are none the less words of *precision*, words which express certain ideas more concisely and more aptly than their more popular synonyms (when such exist). Among these are:

palliative	phase	proficiency
penetration	postulate	provisional
permeate	prejudicial	provocative
perspicacity	procedure	pugnacity

Then comes a category coloured by the tint of *artificiality*, words which are obvious inventions. Among these:

pantechnicon	palmistry	pianola
phonography	philately	plasticine
pantograph		

Now all the words in all the categories that we have been considering have this much in common: that, in addition to expressing some concept, they suggest in various ways the mood, attitude, point of view, and even the character of the user, or the conditions in which the word is used. For diverse reasons each of these words may be said to be a word with some sort of "tone colour."

All the other words that make up the sum of the English vocabulary may, in contrast, be called *colourless words*. If we call a cat a *cat* we are using a word without colour, the word *cat* suggests a cat and nothing more. If we call a cat a *puss*, a *pussy* or a *pussy-cat*, we are using words that suggest the child's attitude towards the cat; if we call a cat a *domestic feline quadruped* we are using terms that suggest the point of view of the scientist, the humourist or the pedant.

In the ordinary dictionary, wherein all words are duly set forth in alphabetical order, the "colourless" words seem to be in a poor minority. On the other hand, on any printed page of connected text, or in the speech of an orator or of a conversationalist, we shall probably find that it is made up of from 90 per cent. to 100 per cent. of "colourless" words.

One of the purposes of the present dictionary is to present a selection of words which shows the truer proportion. Having in mind the needs of foreign students of English we have given the benefit to "colourless" words, and have included all those which, in our judgment, stand for those concepts which in ordinary circumstances are the most necessary for readers and for speakers.

Among these "colourless" words we find notably "form-words," such as prepositions, connectives, personal pronouns and determinatives, and such "full-words" as the names of common objects, together with the commonest abstract nouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs. Common "colourless" words had the first right of admission in our select and restricted vocabulary.

Among the words with "colour," the first place was given to *words tinted with the colour of precision,* the words that figure with such profusion in such works as encyclopædias, articles in reviews, leading and special articles in newspapers, in other terms: in the language of those who furnish information with the minimum of emotion.

Other words of "colour" received less attention, and of these relatively smaller proportions were chosen.

A bushel basket can contain nothing more than a bushel of whatever we choose to put in it, and a dictionary intentionally limited to some 9,000 words cannot contain more than 9,000 of the words we consider necessary to insert in it[1]. In accordance with the claims of proportion, we have admitted a certain percentage of words of every category. The categories which have the fewest representatives are those of the onomatopœic words, words of antique colouring, words with foreign, exotic and artificial colourings, words with pompous colourings, words with technical colourings, and words associated with the tone-colour of the emotional and subjective.

A certain number of proper nouns have been included. These are for the most part the commonest christian names

[1] Actually this dictionary contains 9,645 words in heavy type.

and the best-known or the oldest-known geographical names. In the case of these and of other words, the compilers will welcome expressions of opinion concerning the desirability of including in a future edition those which, intentionally or unintentionally, have been omitted in the present edition.

"Plain English" is an attractive term and an inspiring ideal, but a term which, from its very nature, must be and remain indefinite and provokingly vague. But those who have selected the present vocabulary have endeavoured to bring together a representative collection of words which may be considered as a vocabulary of Plain English, the sort of English which constitutes from 95 per cent. to 100 per cent. of the great majority of English as used in connected speech or texts.

PHONETIC SYMBOLS

Phones

In the system of notation and transcription used in this dictionary, English (R.P. or A.V.) has been considered as consisting of so many independent integral units of pronunciation called "phones." A *sound*, as such, may constitute a *phone*, but more often a *phone* consists of a group of interchangeable sounds.

Thus [f] is both a *sound* and an English *phone*; [k] represents an English *phone*, which is in reality a group of sounds varying between the initial sound of *key* and the initial sound of *cool*, and [l] is a *phone* varying between the *l* of *leap* and the *l* of *fool*.

[eɪ], [oʊ], [aɪ], [aʊ], [ɔɪ], and other units are successions of sounds, but each of these successions constitutes for practical purposes one integral unit of English pronunciation, and each is therefore considered as an independent phone. The theory of the phone may or may not be considered as difficult or abstract, but the effect of the theory is towards a simplification of the problems of phonetic transcription.

The Notation

The notation used is that of the International Phonetic Association. The more precise form of notation has been adopted; a form which is in its essence identical with that used in the *Maître Phonétique*, the organ of the Association. In the interest of a greater latitude and facility, the symbol [ɪ] has been added. The device of "bigraphs" (i.e. the fusion of two adjacent letter-shapes in one symbol), e.g. [eɪ], [aɪ], [ɛə], [ʧ], has been adopted as tending to a better grasping of the nature of English phones (i.e. phonetic units).

Received Pronunciation Column

The symbols (with their values) used in the column headed "Received Pronunciation" are those figuring in the following list.

Vowels.

(*a*) Five "free" vowels, i.e. more or less static vowels occurring in any position; initially, medially or finally, and in any sort of syllable, stressed or unstressed. In stressable syllables they take the length-mark [ˑ].

1. [i] *see* [siˑ], *me* [miˑ], [mi].
2. [ɑ] *France* [frɑˑns], *are* [ɑˑ], [ɑ], *artistic* [ɑ'tɪstɪk].
3. [ɔ] *chalk* [tʃɔˑk], *blackboard* ['blækbɔd], *although* [ɔl'ðou].
4. [u] *too* [tuˑ], *you* [juˑ], [ju], *value* ['vælju].
5. [ɜ] *bird* [bɜˑd], *her* [hɜˑ], [hɜ], *suburb* ['sʌbɜb].

(*b*) Six "checked" vowels, i.e. static vowels occurring, in stressed syllables, only before a consonant that checks their duration. They generally do occur in stressed positions, but not always. [æ] alone may be lengthened and that only in certain words.

6. [ɪ] *live* [lɪv], *mislay* [mɪs'leɪ].
7. [ɛ] *desk* [dɛsk], *parallel* ['pærəlɛl].
8. [æ] *map* [mæp], *bad* [bæd], *enthusiasm* [ɪn'θjuˑzɪæzm̩].
9. [ʌ] *front* [frʌnt], *product* ['prɒdʌkt].
10. [ɒ] *box* [bɒks], *voluminous* [vɒ'ljuˑmɪnəs].
11. [ʊ] *book* [bʊk], *painful* ['peɪnfʊl].

(*c*) Five kinetic free vowels, or diphthongs, occurring in any position and in stressed or unstressed syllables.

12. [eɪ] *name* [neɪm], *estimate* (verb) ['ɛstɪmeɪt].
13. [oʊ] *no* [noʊ], *omit* [oʊ'mɪt].

In unstressed syllables the two above phones tend towards [e] and [o]. The tendency seems more marked in typical American than in R.P.

14. [aɪ] *my* [maɪ], *idea* [aɪ'dɪə].
15. [aʊ] *house* [haʊs], *outside* [aʊt'saɪd].

The first element of the above two phones varies between cardinal [a] and cardinal [ɑ] both in R.P. and typical American usage.

16. [ɔɪ] *boy* [bɔɪ], *royal* [rɔɪəl].

(*d*) Two "obscure" vowels, occurring only in unstressed positions, often (in rapid fluent speech) weakened to a point at which one can hardly be distinguished from the other, or (in slow and careful speech) strengthened to points at which they are almost indistinguishable respectively from [ʌ] or [ɪ] (or from other vowels).

17. [ə] *America* [ə'mɛrɪkə], *better* ['bɛtə], *understand* [ʌndə-'stænd], *magazine* [mægə'zi·n].

In slow and careful speech, [ə] tends towards [ʌ], [ɔ], [oʊ], [u], or [ɛə]. See R.P. Variants.

18. [ɪ] *city* ['sɪtɪ], *eleven* [ɪ'lɛvn̩], *majesty* ['mæʤɪstɪ], *houses* ['haʊzɪz], *goodness* ['gʊdnɪs], *useless* ['ju·slɪs], *obvious* ['ɒbvɪəs], *magistrate* ['mæʤɪstrɪt]], *adequate* ['ædɪkwɪt].

In slow and careful speech, [ɪ] tends towards [ɪ], [ɛ], [eɪ], [i], or [ə].

(*e*) Four "murmur diphthongs," so-called as they end in the murmur-glide of [ə].

19. [ɪə] *here* [hɪə], *pier* [pɪə].
20. [ɛə] *chair* [ʧɛə], *prayer* [prɛə].
21. [ɔə] *door* [dɔə], *war* [wɔə].
22. [uə] *poor* [puə], *cure* [kjuə].

Some speakers invariably replace [ɔə] by [ɔ].

Consonants.

23. [p] *piece* [pi·s], *map* [mæp].
24. [b] *box* [bɒks], *rub* [rʌb].
25. [t] *too* [tu·], *not* [nɒt].
26. [d] *desk* [dɛsk], *send* [sɛnd].
27. [k] *come* [kʌm], *book* [bʊk].
28. [g] *go* [goʊ], *dog* [dɒg].
29. [m] *my* [maɪ], *gum* [gʌm].
30. [n] *no* [noʊ], *man* [mæn].
31. [ŋ] *wing* [wɪŋ].
32. [l] *look* [lʊk], *small* [smɔ·l].

When not followed by a vowel [l] is usually pronounced as "dark-*l*," for which the phonetic symbol is [ɫ].

33. [f] *four* [fɔə], *if* [ɪf].
34. [v] *very* [vɛrɪ], *five* [faɪv].
35. [θ] *thing* [θɪŋ], *earth* [ə·θ].
36. [ð] *that* [ðæt], *with* [wɪð].
37. [s] *see* [si·], *piece* [pi·s].
38. [z] *zone* [zoʊn], *nose* [noʊz].
39. [ʃ] *shoe* [ʃu·], *brush* [brʌʃ].
40. [ʒ] *measure* ['mɛʒə].
41. [r] *red* [rɛd].
42. [h] *hot* [hɒt].
43. [ʧ] *chalk* [ʧɔ·k], *which* [hwɪʧ].
44. [ʤ] *June* [ʤu·n], *large* [lɑ·ʤ].
45. [j] *yes* [jɛs].
46. [w] *wash* [wɒʃ].

In the pronunciation of many speakers [hw] counts as an independent phone, as an integral unit of the English phonetic system. In the R.P. column this is shown throughout as [*h*w].

Miscellaneous Signs.

['] The stress mark. This shows that the stress may fall on the syllable that it precedes. The use of two stress marks in one word shows that the stress may fall on one syllable or the other, in accordance with the rules governing sentence-stress. Thus, the entry ['fɪf'ti·n] indicates that the word may be stressed as [fɪf'ti·n] as in [aɪ sɔ· fɪf'ti·n], or as ['fɪftin], as in [aɪ sɔ· 'fɪftin 'pi·pl̩ ðɛə].

[·] The length mark. This shows that the vowel to which it is attached is long. The length mark is used only in syllables that are susceptible of being stressed.

Italics. A phonetic symbol printed in italics indicates that the sound for which it stands is often omitted, especially in fluent speech. (See "Received Pronunciation Variants," Categories 1 to 5.)

[(r] This indicates that when the word is followed without a break or pause by a word beginning with a vowel, the sound [r] is added. Thus the entry ['bɛtə(r] means, for example, that *This one is better* is pronounced [ðɪs wʌn z 'bɛtə], but that *This is a better example* is pronounced [ðɪs ɪz ə bɛtər ɪg'zɑ·mpl̩].

[ˌ] The syllabic mark. Placed under [l], [n] or (rarely) [m], it indicates that the consonant has the value of a syllable, suggestive of a preceding [ə] or [ɪ].

American Variants Column

The symbols (with their values) used in the column headed "American Variants" are essentially the same as those figuring in the preceding list.

In transcribing certain American variants six additional symbols are required:

[a] This symbol designates any sound between the two extremes of [ɑ] and [æ]. Thus the entry [pa·s] means that

the word is pronounced variously as [pɑˑs], [pæˑs], or in some manner intermediate between these two extremes.

[o] This symbol is used notably before [ə] to represent the vowel of *soar* [soə]. Compare this with [souə], which represents the pronunciation of *sower* (one who sows). It is also used in those cases in which the [ə], by reason of a following vowel, becomes [r], thus *soaring*, *story*, *pouring*, etc., are transcribed ['soˑrɪŋ], ['stoˑrɪ], ['poˑrɪŋ], etc.

[ə] stands for the "retroflex" variety of [ə]. Similarly

[ɛə] and [ɔə] are used for the "retroflex" varieties of [ɛə] and [ɔə].

For further details on these and other points, see the general explanation of "American Variants."

Received Pronunciation Variants

To record all the possible variant pronunciations of the Received Standard dialect of English is a task lying outside the scope of the present dictionary. Those who wish for further or more detailed information on the subject would do well to consult Jones' *An English Pronouncing Dictionary*. For more than one reason, however, we have thought it desirable to provide in many cases one or more variant pronunciations. In the first place, the recording of variants affords a more liberal or broader interpretation of pronunciation values. In the second place, it often happens that two variant pronunciations seem to be equally common, and the invidious task of selecting the one and rejecting the other is one that we do not feel justified in undertaking.

Another important reason for providing Received Pronunciation variants is the presence of the column headed *American Variants*. It frequently happens that a pronunciation typical of American speech is at the same time not unknown as a Received Pronunciation variant; to omit the Received variant in such cases would convey an exaggerated or erroneous impression concerning the kind or degree of divergencies between Received and typical American usage. Thus the first vowel of the word *either* is generally

[iˑ] according to typical American usage; to give in the R.P. column [naɪðə(r] and [niˑðə] in the A.V. column would imply that the word *neither* pronounced with [iˑ] is an Americanism, whereas this pronunciation is common both to R.P. and to typical American, although rarer in R.P.

A certain number of variant entries are in the nature of isolated cases. Possibly *nephew* is the only word in which [v] and [f] are variants. Possibly *primer* is the only word in which [ɪ] and [aɪ] are interchangeable. But the great majority of the variants recorded fall into categories, most of which are easily recognized.

Variant pronunciations are shown:

(*a*) By italicizing a symbol with the convention that the sound for which the symbol stands may be or need not be pronounced. Thus the entry ['kʌmfə*t*əbl̩] means ['kʌmfə*t*əbl̩] or ['kʌmftəbl̩].

(*b*) By re-spelling the word. The first of two or more forms indicates that it is the one which seems the most prevalent. Thus

neither 'naɪðə
'niˑðə

indicates that the word has two pronunciation-values, and that ['naɪðə] seems more prevalent than [niˑðə].

(*c*) In one case we have used the device of placing a dagger (†) before certain words. This dagger serves as a reference to note 30, p. xxxv. concerning a certain category of variation.

The following is a list of the more important categories:—

1.	Omission of [ə]		'kʌmfə*t*əbl̩
2.	Omission of [ɪ]		'pjuˑp*ɪ*l
3.	Omission of [j]		rɛvə'l*j*uˑʃən
4.	Omission of [h]		*h*wɒt
5.	Omission of various consonants		'læn*d*lɔd, lɛŋ*k*θ, prɒm*p*t
6.	[jə] for [ɪə]	and vice versa	priˑvjəs, priˑvɪəs
7.	[j] for [ɪ]	and vice versa	pɪ'ænoʊ, 'pjænoʊ
8.	[ɪə] for [iˑə̯]	and vice versa	riˑəl, rɪəl
9.	[i] for [ɪ]	and vice versa	ri'pleɪs, rɪ'pleɪs
12.	[ə] for [ɛ]	and vice versa	'pærəlɛl, 'pærələl

13.	[eɪ]	for	[ɪ]	and vice versa	ˈmædʒɪstrɪt, ˈmædʒɪstreɪt
10.	[ə]	for	[ɪ]	and vice versa	ˈpɒlɪsɪ, ˈpɒləsɪ
11.	[ɛ]	for	[ɪ]	and vice versa	lɪˈgeɪʃən, lɛˈgeɪʃən
14.	[eɪ]	for	[ə]	and vice versa	kəˈmjuˑnɪkətɪv, kəˈmjuˑnɪkeɪtɪv
15.	[iˑ]	for	[ɛ]	and vice versa	ˈpriˑmətjuə, ˈprɛmətjuə
16.	[ə]	for	[ə]	and vice versa	pəˈsweɪd, pəˈsweɪd
17.	[æ]	for	[ə]	and vice versa	vəˈlɪdɪtɪ, væˈlɪdɪtɪ
18.	[æ]	for	[ɑ]	and vice versa	trɑnsˈleɪt, trænsˈleɪt
19.	[æ]	for	[æˑ]	and vice versa	ˈbæˑdlɪ, ˈbædlɪ
20.	[ə]	for	[ɑ]	and vice versa	pɑˈtɪʃən, pəˈtɪʃən
21.	[æ]	for	[eɪ]	and vice versa	ˈpeɪtn̩t, ˈpætn̩t
22.	[ʌ]	for	[ə]	and vice versa	ənˈlɛs, ʌnˈlɛs
23.	[ɒ]	for	[ɔ]	and vice versa	lɔst, lɒst
24.	[ə]	for	[ɔ]	and vice versa	ˈmɛlbən, ˈmɛlbɔn
25.	[ə]	for	[ɒ]	and vice versa	vɒlˈjuˑmɪnəs, vəˈljuˑmɪnəs
26.	[ɔˑ]	for	[ɔə]	and vice versa	mɔən, mɔˑn (*mourn*)
27.	[ɑˑ]	for	[ɔˑ]	and vice versa	lɔˑntʃ, lɑˑntʃ
28.	[ə]	for	[oʊ]	and vice versa	oʊˈbeɪ, əˈbeɪ
29.	[ɒ]	for	[oʊ]	and vice versa	ˈprougrɛs, ˈprɒgrɛs
30.	[oʊ], [ɔ], [ɒ], or sounds intermediate between them for [ə], marked by [†ə], thus [†əˈrɪdʒɪneɪt] may stand for [əˈrɪdʒɪneɪt], [oʊˈrɪdʒɪneɪt], [ɔˈrɪdʒɪneɪt], or [ɒˈrɪdʒɪneɪt].				
31.	[ɔ]	for	[oʊ]	and vice versa	ˈpoʊɪtrɪ, ˈpɔɪtrɪ
32.	[ɔə]	for	[uə]	and vice versa	puə, pɔə (*poor*)
33.	[ʊ]	for	[uˑ]	and vice versa	ˈbruˑərɪ, ˈbrʊərɪ
34.	[ə]	for	[ʊə]	and vice versa	ˈjuˑʒʊəl, ˈjuˑʒəl
35.	[ə]	for	[ʊ]	and vice versa	ˈlɔˑfulɪ, ˈlɔˑfəlɪ
36.	[ɪ]	for	[aɪ]	and vice versa	maɪˈnɒrɪtɪ, mɪˈnɒrɪtɪ
37.	Miscellaneous Vowel Variants such as				leɪə, lɛə (*layer*)
38.	Voiced for Voiceless Consonants and vice versa				trænˈsɪʒən, trænˈzɪʃən
39.	Miscellaneous Consonant Variants such as				ˈpʌnktjʊeɪt, ˈpʌnktʃʊeɪt
40.	Stress Variants with or without vowel variation				ˈrɛprɪmɑnd, rɛprɪˈmɑˑnd rɪˈmɒnstreɪt, ˈrɛmənstreɪt
41.	Strong and Weak Forms of the "Weakenable Words" indicated in the text by the *s.f.* (= strong form) and *w.f.* (= weak form).				æt *s.f.*, ət *w.f.*

R.P. Variants not noted in the Dictionary

(Many of these are also common to A.V.)

Among these are the following:

1. [i] tends towards, and is often replaced by, a diphthong consisting of [ɪ] followed by [i].
2. [u] tends towards, and is often replaced by, a diphthong consisting of [ʊ] followed by [u].
3. [iə] tends towards, and is often replaced by, [ɪ] followed by [ə] in one syllable.
4. [uə] tends towards, and is often replaced by, [ʊ] followed by [ə] in one syllable.
6. [ɑ] varies between cardinal [ɑ] and a point about half-way between cardinal [ɑ] and cardinal [a].
7. [ɔ] is subject to slight variations, more especially in the matter of the amount of lip-rounding.
8. [ʊ] is subject to the same sort of variations in the matter of the amount of lip-rounding.
9. [ɜ] varies to some extent.
10. [ə] varies noticeably according to its position in the word and in the sentence. In final position, it is often replaced by [ʌ]. Three different values may be heard in the words *China, cathedral*; in the latter word, the second [ə] has a lower and more retracted position than the first [ə].
11. [eɪ] tends towards, and is often replaced by, [ɛɪ] or [ɛe], and sometimes by a sound practically indistinguishable from [e].
12. [oʊ] varies considerably, generally in the direction of being advanced towards the mixed position, also to some extent by partial unrounding of the first element; with some the diphthong approaches [ɔʊ], especially when followed by a "dark" [l]. Others again tend to make it [o], especially in unstressed syllables.
13. [aɪ] varies slightly both in the direction of [æɪ] and in the direction of [ɑɪ].
14. [aʊ] varies between [aʊ] (with cardinal [a] and [ɑʊ] (almost with cardinal [ɑ]).
15. [ɪə] when final tends towards and is often replaced by [ɪʌ].
16. [ɛə] tends towards, and is often replaced by [æə. When final, it tends towards and is often replaced by [ɛʌ] or [æʌ].
17. [ɔə] when final tends to have a rather open variety of [ə].
18. [ʊə] when final tends to have a rather open variety of [ə].

For more detailed information concerning the above variants see Jones' *An English Pronouncing Dictionary*, pages xxii–xxiii, on which the foregoing summary of variants is based.

American Variants

In the column headed "American Variants" figure variant pronunciations other than those given in the "Received Pronunciation" column. We have called these "American Variants" because these particular variants are never (or only exceptionally) heard except from Americans and Canadians. *The inclusion of any of these variants does not by any means imply that all speakers in America use the form indicated*; it implies merely that a large number of educated Americans (including Canadians) use or tend to use instead of the Received Pronunciation, the pronunciation indicated, or one closely approximating to it.

The variants indicated in this column may be classified under the following 12 headings:

Variant 1. [ɑ] for [ɒ].

A large number of speakers replace or tend to replace the R P. [ɒ] by a vowel more or less approximating to [ɑ]. Thus *hot, box, stop*, etc., which are pronounced [hɒt], [bɒks], [stɒp], etc., in R.P., appear in the A.V. column as [hɑt], [bɑks], [stɑp], etc.

This, however, does not apply to all words with R.P. [ɒ]. *Long, wrong, dog*, etc., remain [lɒŋ], [rɒŋ], [dɒg], or, with certain speakers, tend rather towards [ɔ] or [ɔ·], [lɔŋ], [rɔŋ], [dɔg].

Variant 2. [a·] for [ɑ·].

In certain important categories of words most American speakers replace the R.P. [ɑ·] by more advanced varieties of the phone, these ranging between [ɑ·] and [æ·]. Such varieties are indicated by the symbol [a·],

Thus *half, brass, ask, nasty*, etc., are transcribed with the symbol [aˑ], indicating that the vowel varies between [ɑˑ] and [æ].

	R.P.	A.V.	
half	hɑˑf	haˑf	= hɑˑf, haˑf, hæˑf, *etc.*
brass	brɑˑs	braˑs	= brɑˑs, braˑs, bræˑs, *etc.*
ask	ɑˑsk	aˑsk	= ɑˑsk, aˑsk, æˑsk, *etc.*
nasty	nɑˑstɪ	naˑstɪ	= nɑˑstɪ, naˑstɪ, næˑstɪ, *etc.*

The most general value given to this phone in America is probably that of "cardinal" [a].

Variant 3. [ə] for [ə].

In "most parts of New England, New York City and vicinity, the South-East and large parts of the South of the United States" (Kenyon), speakers conform to the Received usage of the [ə], thus *better, actor*, etc., are pronounced ['bɛtə], ['æktə], etc.

In the other regions, most American speakers replace or tend to replace [ə] by [ə] in all cases where the letter *r* figures in the traditional spelling.[1] This [ə] is a "retroflex" [ə], i.e. a variety of [ə] which is produced while the tip of the tongue is raised and slightly curled back. Krapp represents it by the symbol [ɹ], and describes it as "a voiced sound, but the friction accompanying the vocal element is so slight that one might hesitate to group it with the fricatives, or with the consonants at all. . . . In pronouncing this sound, the point of the tongue is not tilted as high as in [r], but if it were permitted to touch the roof of the mouth, which it does not do, it would strike the region just back of the upper teeth and in front of the place where the concavity of the roof begins."

It should be mentioned here that the form of the symbol [ə] was designed by Krapp to represent the sound of the first element of the *ir* of *bird* (which he represents as [bəɹd]).

Considering, however, that the *ir* of *bird* may be more aptly represented by [əə], and that the symbol [ɹ] is specified by the International Phonetic Association to be the "narrow"

[1] And at least in one case (*colonel*) where *r* does not figure.

representation of the true "fricative" *r* (as in *red*, *rich*, *try*, etc.), we have taken the liberty of using Krapp's symbol [ə] to represent the "retroflex" variety of [ə], for which Krapp uses the symbol [ɹ].

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
better	'bɛtə	'bɛtə
actor	'æktə	'æktə
collar	'kɒlə	'kɑlə
honour	'ɒnə	'ɑnə
measure	'mɛʒə	'mɛʒə

Notes concerning [ər].

When, however, R.P. [ə] is followed immediately by [ɹ] (either in the same or in the next word), the [ə] remains and does not become [ə̝]. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
remember	rɪ'mɛmbə	rɪ'mɛmbə
remembering	rɪ'mɛmbərɪŋ	(same as R.P.)
after	'ɑ·ftə	'a·ftə
after all	ɑ·ftər 'ɔ·l	a·ftər 'ɔ·l

VARIANT 4. [ɑə] for [ɑ·].

In a certain important category of words spelt with *ar* (occasionally, however, *ear*, *uar*, and, in one case, *er*), most American speakers give to this letter *r* the value of [ə] (see Variant 3). This does not apply, however, to the majority of speakers in "most parts of New England, New York City and vicinity, the South-East and a large part of the South of the United States" (Kenyon), in which regions either [ɑ·] remains [ɑ·] or is replaced by [ɑə] (see "Variants Omitted").

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
far	fɑ·	fɑə
farm	fɑ·m	fɑəm
heart	hɑ·t	hɑət
guard	gɑ·d	gɑəd
artist	ɑ·tɪst	ɑətɪst
artistic	ɑ'tɪstɪk	ɑə'tɪstɪk
sergeant	'sɑ·ʤənt	sɑəʤənt

Note concerning [ɑˈr].

When, however, [ɑˈ] is followed immediately by [r], either in the same word or in the next word, [ɑˈ] generally remains [ɑˈ], and does not become [ɑə]. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
far	fɑˈ	fɑə
far away	fɑˈr əˈweɪ	(same as R.P.)
bar	bɑˈ	bɑə
barring	ˈbɑˈrɪŋ	(same as R.P.)

VARIANT 5. [ɜə] for [ɜˈ].

With the exception of speakers in "most parts of New England, New York City, and vicinity, the South-East, and a large part of the South of the United States" (Kenyon), most speakers in America replace or tend to replace Received Standard [ɜ] by a variant which we represent by the symbol [ɜə].

According to Kenyon, in such words as *her, stir, fur, hers, stirred*, etc., the *r*-sound is not made before or after the vowel, but is the vowel itself, and he represents it by the symbol [ɜ˞]. Krapp, however, implies that there is a vocalic element (which he represents by [ə]) followed by an *r*-element (which he represents by [ɹ]).

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
bird	bɜˈd	bɜəd
hurt	hɜˈt	hɜət
girl	gɜˈl	gɜəl
convert	kənˈvɜˈt	kənˈvɜət

Note concerning [ɜˈr].

When, however, [ɜə] is followed immediately by [r], either in the same word or in the next word, the [ɜ] is lengthened and the [ə] is omitted. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
stir	stɜˈ	stɜə
stirring	ˈstɜˈrɪŋ	(same as R.P.)
stir away	stɜˈr əˈweɪ	(same as R.P.)
fur	fɜˈ	fɜə
furry	ˈfɜˈrɪ	(same as R.P.)

Variant 6. [ɛə̯] for [ɛə].

With the exception of speakers in "most parts of New England, New York City and vicinity, the South-East, and a large part of the South of the United States" (Kenyon), the majority of speakers in America replace or tend to replace Received Pronunciation [ɛə] by a variant which we represent by the symbol [ɛə̯].

The variation consists in replacing the vowel [ə] by the retroflex variety [ə̯]. See Variant 3.

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
care	kɛə	kɛə̯
dare	dɛə	dɛə̯
fair	fɛə	fɛə̯
wear	wɛə	wɛə̯

Note concerning [ɛər].

When, however, [ɛə] is followed immediately by [r], the variant is generally [ɛ·r]. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
fair	fɛə	fɛə̯
fairy	ˈfɛərɪ	ˈfɛ·rɪ
wear	wɛə	wɛə̯
wearing	ˈwɛərɪŋ	ˈwɛ·rɪŋ

See Variant 12.

Variant 7. [ɔə̯] for [ɔ·] and [ɔe].

In a certain important category of the words containing in R.P. the vowel [ɔ·], or its R.P. variant [ɔə], the majority of speakers in America replace or tend to replace this phone by a variant which we represent by the symbol [ɔə̯]. This variant, however, is not commonly used by speakers in "most parts of New England, New York City and vicinity, the South-East, and a large part of the South of the United States" (Kenyon).

The variation consists in adding the retroflex vowel [ə̯] or in using it in place of [ə].

See Variant 3.

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
corn	kɔˑn	kɔən
fork	fɔˑk	fɔək
war	wɔˑ,wɔə	wɔə
Norway	ˈnɔˑweɪ	ˈnɔəweɪ

Note concerning [ɔˑr] and [ɔər].

When, however, [ɔˑ] is followed immediately by [r], instead of [ɔər] we generally hear [ɔˑr]. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
nor	nɔˑ	nɔə
nor I	nɔˑr aɪ	(same as R.P.)
for	fɔˑ	fɔə
for it	fɔˑr ɪt	(same as R.P.)
adore	əˈdɔə	əˈdɔə
adoring	əˈdɔərɪŋ	əˈdɔˑrɪŋ

See Variant 12.

VARIANT 8. [oə] for [ɔə], [ɔˑ].

In an important category of the words containing in Received Standard the vowel [ɔə] (in most cases with [ɔˑ] as a variant), the majority of speakers in America replace or tend to replace this [ɔə] by a variant which we represent by the symbol [oə]. In the pronunciation of speakers in "most parts of New England, New York City and vicinity, the South-East and a large part of the South of the United States" (Kenyon) this particular variant is commonly replaced by [oə].

See "Variants Omitted."

The main variation consists in replacing [ɔ] by [o]. The secondary variation consists in replacing [ə] by the retroflex variety [ɚ].

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
force	fɔəs, fɔˑs	foəs
mourn	mɔən, mɔˑn	moən
store	stɔə, stɔˑ	stoə
four	fɔə, fɔˑ	foə

Note concerning [ɔər].

When, however, [ɔə] is followed immediately by [r], instead of [oər], we generally hear [oːr]. Thus:

	R.P.	A.V.
store	stɔə	stoə
story	ˈstɔːrɪ	ˈstoːrɪ
pour	pɔə	poə
pouring	ˈpɔərɪŋ	ˈpoːrɪŋ

See Variant 12.

VARIANT 9. [ər] for [ʌr].

In most cases in which R.P. has [ʌr], a large number of speakers in America use [ər].

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
hurry	ˈhʌrɪ	ˈhərɪ
hurried	ˈhʌrɪd	ˈhərɪd
worry	ˈwʌrɪ	ˈwərɪ
thorough	ˈθʌrə	ˈθərə

(But *borough* apparently remains [ˈbʌroʊ].)

VARIANT 10. [ɛrɪ] for [ərɪ].

The ending *-ary* or *-ery* is generally pronounced in R.P. as [ərɪ]. The majority of speakers in America pronounce it as [ɛrɪ].

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
customary	ˈkʌstəmərɪ	ˈkʌstəmɛrɪ
dictionary	ˈdɪkʃənərɪ	ˈdɪkʃənɛrɪ
ordinary	ˈɔːdɪnərɪ	ˈɔːdɪnɛrɪ
stationary	ˈsteɪʃənərɪ	ˈsteɪʃənɛrɪ

VARIANT 11. [orɪ] for [ərɪ].

The ending *-ory* is generally pronounced in R.P. as [ərɪ]. The majority of speakers in America pronounce it as [orɪ].

Examples :

	R.P.	A.V.
category	ˈkætɪgərɪ	ˈkætɪgorɪ
oratory	ˈɒrətərɪ	ˈɑrətorɪ
preparatory	prɪˈpærətərɪ	prɪˈpærətorɪ
territory	ˈtɛrɪtərɪ	ˈtɛrɪtorɪ

VARIANT 12. Omission of [ə].

Under the heading "Variant 3" we have noted that R.P. [ə] may have as an A.V. [ə], or that it may undergo no change.

In the following cases, however, R.P. [ə] is represented neither by [ə] nor by [ə] but by an omission of the vowel (with or without lengthening of the preceding vowel):

R.P. [ɪər], [ʊər], [ɛər], [ɔər], [aɪər], and [aʊər].

See notes to Variants 3, 6, 7, and 8.

Examples:

	R.P.	A.V.
fearing	ˈfɪərɪŋ	ˈfɪːrɪŋ
fear it	ˈfɪər ɪt	ˈfɪːr ɪt
touring	ˈtʊərɪŋ	ˈtʊːrɪŋ
tour and . . .	ˈtʊər ənd . . .	ˈtʊːr ənd . . .
during	ˈdjʊərɪŋ	ˈdjʊːrɪŋ
Europe	ˈjʊərəp	ˈjʊːrəp
caring	ˈkɛərɪŋ	ˈkɛːrɪŋ
Mary	ˈmɛərɪ	ˈmɛːrɪ
fairy	ˈfɛərɪ	ˈfɛːrɪ

	R.P.	A.V.
wearing	ˈwɛərɪŋ	ˈwɛːrɪŋ
wear it	ˈwɛər ɪt	ˈwɛːr ɪt
warring	ˈwɔərɪŋ	ˈwɔːrɪŋ
war of	ˈwɔər əv	ˈwɔːr əv
soaring	ˈsɔːrɪŋ	ˈsoːrɪŋ
story	ˈstɔːrɪ	ˈstoːrɪ
pour out	pɔːr ˈaʊt	poːr ˈaʊt

In all the above cases the preceding vowel is lengthened as a compensation for the omission of [ə].

	R.P.	A.V.
firing	ˈfaɪərɪŋ	ˈfaɪrɪŋ
fire away	faɪər əˈweɪ	faɪr əˈweɪ
environment	ɪnˈvaɪərənmənt	ɪnˈvaɪrənmənt
overpowering	oʊvəˈpaʊərɪŋ	oʊvəˈpaʊrɪŋ

Miscellaneous Variants

In addition to the 12 groups of variants noted above, there will be found a number of smaller groups, and of individual

words in which variations from R.P. may be noted. Among these are, for instance, the well-known variants:

	R.P.	A.V.
clerk	klɑˈk	klɜək
mayor	mɛə	meɪə
schedule	ˈʃɛdjul	ˈskɛdjul
lieutenant	lɛfˈtɛnənt	luˈtɛnənt

American Variants not noted in the Dictionary

In addition to the American Variants indicated in this dictionary, American pronunciation is or may be marked by other and minor variants. Most of these may be covered by conventions, the chief of which are indicated below.

(1) [ɯˈ] for [uˈ] and [ɯ] for [u]. Some speakers articulate [uˈ] and [u] with little lip-rounding, and the tongue in an advanced position so that they approximate to the sound represented in phonetic notation by [ɯ].

(2) [eˈ] or [e] for [eɪ]. Many speakers replace the kinetic (or diphthongal) vowel [eɪ] by vowels tending towards the static [e]. This is especially the case in unstressed syllables. But in very few cases is the [e] so markedly static as the [e] of certain Scottish pronunciations. Thus *take* may be heard as [teˈk], and *allocate* as [ˈæləket].

(3) [oˈ] or [o] for [oʊ]. Many speakers replace the kinetic (or diphthongal) vowel [oʊ] by vowels tending towards the static [oˈ]. This is especially the case in unstressed syllables. But in very few cases is the [o] so markedly static as the [o] of certain Scottish pronunciations. Thus *home* may be heard as [hoˈm], and *obey* as [oˈbeɪ].

(4) In general, the vowel represented by [ɛ] tends to be articulated in a more open position than in R.P.

(5) [eə] for [ɛə]. Some speakers tend to replace [ɛə] by [eə]. Thus *care* may be heard as [keə], and, as a consequence, the distinction between *fairy* and *ferry* may be heard as [ˈfeˈrɪ] and [ˈfɛrɪ].

(6) [ɪ] for [ə]. Some speakers use in place of the retroflex vowel [ə] sounds more closely approximating to a consonant *r*, thus *better* may be heard as [ˈbɛtər].

(7) [ə] for [ɪ]. The tendency to use in certain categories of words [ə] for [ɪ] is more marked among users of the A.V. pronunciation than among users of R.P. Thus:

['kærɪz] (*carries*) tends to ['kærəz]
['kærɪd] (*carried*) tends to ['kærəd]
['juˈslɪs] (*useless*) tends to ['juˈsləs]
['gʊdnɪs] (*goodness*) tends to ['gʊdnəs].

It is difficult to say to what extent this is the result of speakers (possibly aiming at a "careful" pronunciation) tending to make their pronunciation conform to the conventional spelling.

These seven categories of non-recorded variants seem fairly usual, and are not considered by Americans to represent any particular local or undesirable dialect. As much cannot be said for the seven following categories. Most educated Americans would probably consider them as undesirable pronunciations and would never deliberately set out to teach them to foreign students of English.

(8) [ɔ] for [ɒ]. Some speakers tend to replace in certain words [ɒ] by [ɔ]. Thus *on, long*, etc., may be pronounced by such speakers as [ɔn], [lɔŋ], etc.

(9) [æʊ] for [aʊ]. Certain speakers in the States adjoining the Atlantic seaboard tend to replace [a] by [æ] as the first element of the diphthong. Thus [haʊs] (*house*) may be heard as [hæʊs]. The tendency is not unknown in England.

(10) [uˈ] for [juˈ]. Some speakers habitually make this substitution in a very large number of words. Thus [njuˈ] *new* may be heard as [nuˈ].

(11) [œy] for [ɜˈ]. The vowel [œy] seems identical in acoustic effect with the Dutch *ui* in *huis*, and is distinct from the [ɔɪ] of the admittedly vulgar variety of New York dialect.

[œy] is used by a large number of educated speakers in the Southern States, and [bəəd] (*bird*) is heard as [bœyd].

(12) *Flapped t.* Many speakers replace plosive [t] by a "flapped" variety, giving the effect of an *r*. Thus *thirty, forty*, may give the impression of *thirry, forry*.

(13) *Flapped n.* When *n* is followed by *t*, many speakers

tend to combine the *n* and the *t* in a sound known as "flapped-*n*." Thus, *twenty*, *wanted*, give the impression of *twenny*, *wannid*.

(14) *Nasal Vowels*. In certain of the Eastern States, especially in New England, many speakers tend to nasalize the vowels.

We may take the opportunity to note here an interesting fact concerning certain phenomena of "weakening." It is assumed by users of R.P. that in typical American pronunciation, weakening is more prevalent than in R.P., and they will point to such occasional weak forms as [gə] *go*, [kəm] *come*, or *too* [tə], as in [gə ˈhoum] *go home*, [kəm ˈhiə] *come here*, [tə ˈbæˑd] *too bad*. Similarly users of typical American assume the same thing of R.P. pointing to such occasional weak forms as [noubədɪ] *nobody* or [ɲɪθɪŋ] *anything*. As a matter of fact, honours seem to be about evenly divided in this respect. "Mr. Martin of Birmingham" will be pronounced in R.P. as [mɪstə ˈmɑˑtɪn əv ˈbəˑmɪŋəm], with the *i* of Martin pronounced very distinctly and the *ham* of *Birmingham* reduced to [əm]. The user of the pronunciation represented in the A.V. column, on the contrary, will pronounce [mɪstə ˈmɑətn̩ əv ˈbəˑmɪŋhæm], with the *i* of Martin omitted, but with the *ham* of *Birmingham* given its full value.

NOTE BY THE AMERICAN COLLABORATOR

THE foregoing introduction has dealt with the main purpose or purposes of this book. It remains only for a brief word to be added concerning the matter of variants.

The scope and size of the present book admit of only a minimum of variants. These have been selected with great care. All available trustworthy authorities[1] have been consulted. Unfortunately (or is it fortunately?) there is no *commonly accepted* Received Standard American English pronunciation and therefore no final authority on the subject can be cited. Scholars who have attempted to deal with the subject often do not agree, and in consequence the compiler of such a book as this is compelled to sum up the pros and cons and record his findings. If a tie occurs, his personal opinion must then be exercised and added to one side or the other. Happily in the present work this has not been frequently the case. Indeed, only a few such instances have occurred. Nevertheless, the undersigned holds himself responsible for the variants recorded, and while realizing the impossibility of avoiding some mistakes, and while further realizing the utter hopelessness of meeting the approval of all his fellow American teachers and American phoneticians, he hopes that his errors may be few and that his critics will be charitable.

It will of course be understood by users of this book that the omissions in the third column merely indicate that Received Pronunciation is most commonly used for those words in America as well as in England.

As this part of the dictionary is pioneer work it may serve either as a guide to some abler person to do a more perfect and completer work, or as a warning of what is good not to do.

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[1] Particular mention may be made of Krapp, Kenyon and Hempl.

FURTHER NOTE

THIS third preface is at once an apology and a minority report. The apology is for any textual errors and misprints that may have been overlooked in preparing the MS. for the press and in marking the proofs. For such errors my colleagues are in no way to blame.

For the plan and general conception of the book I can claim no credit and in certain details of treatment,—notably, the selection of words and the inclusion or rejection of variant pronunciations,—I have very rarely modified the original draft even when I may have felt some modification to be desirable.

I am in entire agreement with my colleagues on the important question of the value of differentiating [ɪ] and [i]. In the present work we have rigidly observed the rule of keeping [ɪ] in stressed syllables only; but I think it safe to say that when much work of observation and reclassification has been done, which lack of time prevents for the purpose of this dictionary, a further very important distinction will be established, namely, certain categories of *unstressed* syllables in which [ɪ] alone can occur and cannot be replaced by any "obscure" vowel.

I hope to be able before long to offer the results of such observation to those who may be interested.

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A	eɪ	
A's	eɪz	
a	eɪ *s.f.*, ə *w.f.*	
aback	ə′bæk	
abandon	ə′bændən	
abandons	ə′bændənz	
abandoned	ə′bændənd	
abandoning	ə′bændəni̯ŋ	
abate	ə′beɪt	
abates	ə′beɪts	
abated	ə′beɪtɪd	
abating	ə′beɪtɪŋ	
abbey	′æbɪ	
abbeys	′æbɪz	
abbreviate	ə′briˈvɪeɪt	
abbreviates	ə′briˈvɪeɪts	
abbreviated	ə′briˈvɪeɪtɪd	
abbreviating	ə′briˈvɪeɪtɪŋ	
abbreviation	əbrivɪ′eɪʃən	
abbreviations	əbrivɪ′eɪʃənz	
abdicate	′æbdɪkeɪt	
abdicates	′æbdɪkeɪts	
abdicated	′æbdɪkeɪtɪd	
abdicating	′æbdɪkeɪtɪŋ	
abdication	æbdɪ′keɪʃən	
abdications	æbdɪ′keɪʃənz	
abdomen	æb′doʊmən	
abdomens	æb′doʊmənz	
abdominal	æb′dɒmɪnl̩	æb′dɑmɪnl̩
abduct	əb′dʌkt	
abducts	əb′dʌkts	
abducted	əb′dʌktɪd	
abducting	əb′dʌktɪŋ	
abduction	əb′dʌkʃən	
abductions	əb′dʌkʃənz	
abhor	əb′hɔˈ(r	əb′hɔə
abhors	əb′hɔˈz	əb′hɔəz
abhorred	əb′hɔˈd	əb′hɔəd
abhorring	əb′hɔˈrɪŋ	
abhorrence	əb′hɒrəns	əb′hɑrəns
abhorrent	əb′hɒrənt	əb′hɑrənt
ability	ə′bɪlɪtɪ	
abilities	ə′bɪlɪtɪz	

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
able	ˈeɪbl̩	
abler	ˈeɪblə(r	eɪblə
ablest	ˈeɪblɪst	
ably	ˈeɪblɪ	
abnormal	æbˈnɔːməl	æbˈnɔəməl
abnormally	æbˈnɔːməlɪ	æbˈnɔəməlɪ
aboard	əˈbɔːd	əˈbɔəd
abolish	əˈbɒlɪʃ	əˈbɑlɪʃ
abolishes	əˈbɒlɪʃɪz	əˈbɑlɪʃɪz
abolished	əˈbɒlɪʃt	əˈbɑlɪʃt
abolishing	əˈbɒlɪʃɪŋ	əˈbɑlɪʃɪŋ
abolition	æbəˈlɪʃən	
abominable	əˈbɒmɪnəbl̩	əˈbɑmɪnəbl̩
abominably	əˈbɒmɪnəblɪ	əˈbɑmɪnəblɪ
abound	əˈbaʊnd	
abounds	əˈbaʊndz	
abounded	əˈbaʊndɪd	
abounding	əˈbaʊndɪŋ	
about	əˈbaʊt	
above	əˈbʌv	
abreast	əˈbrɛst	
abridge	əˈbrɪʤ	
abridges	əˈbrɪʤɪz	
abridged	əˈbrɪʤd	
abridging	əˈbrɪʤɪŋ	
abroad	əˈbrɔːd	
abrupt	əˈbrʌpt	
abruptly	əˈbrʌptlɪ	
abruptness	əˈbrʌptnɪs	
abscond	əbˈskɒnd	əbˈskɑnd
absconds	əbˈskɒndz	əbˈskɑndz
absconded	əbˈskɒndɪd	əbˈskɑndɪd
absconding	əbˈskɒndɪŋ	əbˈskɑndɪŋ
absence	ˈæbsn̩s	
absences	ˈæbsn̩sɪz	
absent, *adj.*	ˈæbsn̩t	
absent	əbˈsɛnt	
absents	əbˈsɛnts	
absented	əbˈsɛntɪd	
absenting	əbˈsɛntɪŋ	
absent-minded	ˈæbsn̩tˈmaɪndɪd	
absolute	ˈæbsəlut	
absolutely	ˈæbsəlutlɪ	
absolve	əbˈzɒlv	əbˈsɑlv
absolves	əbˈzɒlvz	əbˈsɑlvz
absolved	əbˈzɒlvd	əbˈsɑlvd
absolving	əbˈzɒlvɪŋ	əbˈsɑlvɪŋ

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absorb	əb′sɔˑb	əb′sɔəb
absorbs	əb′sɔˑbz	əb′sɔəbz
absorbed	əb′sɔˑbd	əb′sɔəbd
absorbing	əb′sɔˑbɪŋ	əb′sɔəbɪŋ
abstain	əb′steɪn	
abstains	əb′steɪnz	
abstained	əb′steɪnd	
abstaining	əb′steɪnɪŋ	
abstainer	əb′steɪnə(r	əb′steɪnə
abstainers	əb′steɪnəz	əb′steɪnəz
abstemious	əb′stiˑmɪəs	
abstention	əb′stɛnʃən	
abstentions	əb′stɛnʃənz	
abstinence	′æbstɪnəns	
abstinent	′æbstɪnənt	
abstract, *noun, adj.*	′æbstrækt	
absurd	əb′sɜˑd	əb′sɜəd
absurdly	əb′sɜˑdlɪ	əb′sɜədlɪ
absurdity	əb′sɜˑdɪtɪ	əb′sɜədɪtɪ
absurdities	əb′sɜˑdɪtɪz	əb′sɜədɪtɪz
abundance	ə′bʌndəns	
abundant	ə′bʌndənt	
abundantly	ə′bʌndəntlɪ	
abuse, *noun*	ə′bjuˑs	
abuses	ə′bjuˑsɪz	
abuse, *verb*	ə′bjuˑz	
abuses	ə′bjuˑzɪz	
abused	ə′bjuˑzd	
abusing	ə′bjuˑzɪŋ	
abusive	ə′bjuˑsɪv	
academic	ækə′dɛmɪk	
academy	ə′kædəmɪ	
academies	ə′kædəmɪz	
accede	ək′siˑd	
accedes	ək′siˑdz	
acceded	ək′siˑdɪd	
acceding	ək′siˑdɪŋ	
accent, *noun*	′æksənt	
accents	′æksənts	
accent, *verb*	ək′sɛnt	
accents	ək′sɛnts	
accented	ək′sɛntɪd	
accenting	ək′sɛntɪŋ	
accentuate	ək′sɛntjueɪt	
accentuates	ək′sɛntjueɪts	
accentuated	ək′sɛntjueɪtɪd	
accentuating	ək′sɛntjueɪtɪŋ	

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accentuation	əksɛntjʊ′eɪʃən	
accentuations	əksɛntjʊ′eɪʃənz	
accept	ək′sɛpt	
accepts	ək′sɛpts	
accepted	ək′sɛptɪd	
accepting	ək′sɛptɪŋ	
acceptable	ək′sɛptəbḷ	
acceptably	ək′sɛptəblɪ	
acceptance	′sɛptəns	
acceptances	ək′sɛptənsɪz	
acceptation	æksɛp′teɪʃən	
acceptations	æksɛp′teɪʃənz	
access	′æksɛs	
accessible	ək′sɛsɪbḷ, ək′sɛsəbḷ	
accession	ək′sɛʃən	
accident	′æksɪdənt	
accidents	′æksɪdənts	
accidental	æksɪ′dɛntḷ	
accidentally	æksɪ′dɛntəlɪ	
acclimatize	ə′klaɪmətaɪz	
acclimatizes	ə′klaɪmətaɪzɪz	
acclimatized	ə′klaɪmətaɪzd	
acclimatizing	ə′klaɪmətaɪzɪŋ	
accommodate	ə′kɒmədeɪt	ə′kɑmədeɪt
accommodates	ə′kɒmədeɪts	ə′kɑmədeɪts
accommodated	ə′kɒmədeɪtɪd	ə′kɑmədeɪtɪd
accommodating	ə′kɒmədeɪtɪŋ	ə′kɑmədeɪtɪŋ
accommodation	əkɒmə′deɪʃən	əkɑmə′deɪʃən
accommodations	əkɒmə′deɪʃənz	əkɑmə′deɪʃənz
accompaniment	ə′kʌmpənɪmənt	
accompaniments	ə′kʌmpənɪmənts	
accompanist	ə′kʌmpənɪst	
accompanists	ə′kʌmpənɪsts	
accompany	ə′kʌmpənɪ	
accompanies	ə′kʌmpənɪz	
accompanied	ə′kʌmpənɪd	
accompanying	ə′kʌmpənɪŋ	
accomplice	ə′kɒmplɪs	ə′kɑmplɪs
accomplices	ə′kɒmplɪsɪz	ə′kɑmplɪsɪz
accomplish	ə′kɒmplɪʃ	ə′kɑmplɪʃ
accomplishes	ə′kɒmplɪʃɪz	ə′kɑmplɪʃɪz
accomplished	ə′kɒmplɪʃt	ə′kɑmplɪʃt
accomplishing	ə′kɒmplɪʃɪŋ	ə′kɑmplɪʃɪŋ
accomplishment	ə′kɒmplɪʃmənt	ə′kɑmplɪʃmənt
accomplishments	ə′kɒmplɪʃmənts	ə′kɑmplɪʃmənts
accord	ə′kɔ·d	ə′kɔəd
accords	ə′kɔ·dz	ə′kɔədz

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accorded	ə'kɔ·dɪd	ə'kɔədɪd
according	ə'kɔ·dɪŋ	ə'kɔədɪŋ
accordance	ə'kɔ·dəns	ə'kɔədəns
accordingly	ə'kɔ·dɪŋlɪ	ə'kɔədɪŋlɪ
account	ə'kaʊnt	
accounts	ə'kaʊnts	
accounted	ə'kaʊntɪd	
accounting	ə'kaʊntɪŋ	
accountable	ə'kaʊntəbḷ	
accountant	ə'kaʊntənt	
accountants	ə'kaʊntənts	
accumulate	ə'kju·mjʊleɪt	
accumulates	ə'kju·mjʊleɪts	
accumulated	ə'kju·mjʊleɪtɪd	
accumulating	ə'kju·mjʊleɪtɪŋ	
accumulative	ə'kju·mjʊleɪtɪv	
accumulation	əkjumjʊ'leɪʃən	
accumulations	əkjumjʊ'leɪʃənz	
accuracy	'ækjurəsɪ	
accurate	'ækjurɪt	
accurately	'ækjurɪtlɪ	
accusation	ækjʊ'zeɪʃən	
accusations	ækjʊ'zeɪʃənz	
accuse	ə'kju·z	
accuses	ə'kju·zɪz	
accused	ə'kju·zd	
accusing	ə'kju·zɪŋ	
accustom	ə'kʌstəm	
accustoms	ə'kʌstəmz	
accustomed	ə'kʌstəmd	
accustoming	ə'kʌstəmɪŋ	
ace	'eɪs	
aces	'eɪsɪz	
acetylene	ə'sɛtɪlin	
ache	'eɪk	
aches	'eɪks	
ached	'eɪkt	
aching	'eɪkɪŋ	
achieve	ə'tʃi·v	
achieves	ə'tʃi·vz	
achieved	ə'tʃi·vd	
achieving	ə'tʃi·vɪŋ	
achievement	ə'tʃi·vmənt	
achievements	ə'tʃi·vmənts	
acid	'æsɪd	
acids	'æsɪdz	
acidity	ə'sɪdɪtɪ	

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acknowledge	ək'nɒlɪʤ	ək'nɑlɪʤ
acknowledges	ək'nɒlɪʤɪz	ək'nɑlɪʤɪz
acknowledged	ək'nɒlɪʤd	ək'nɑlɪʤd
acknowledging	ək'nɒlɪʤɪŋ	ək'nɑlɪʤɪŋ
acknowledgment	ək'nɒlɪʤmənt	ək'nɑlɪʤmənt
acknowledgments	ək'nɒlɪʤmənts	ək'nɑlɪʤmənts
acorn	'eɪkɔ·n	'eɪkɔən
acorns	'eɪkɔ·nz	'eɪkɔənz
acoustic	ə'kaʊstɪk, ə'ku·stɪk	
acoustically	ə'kaʊstɪkəlɪ, ə'ku·stɪkəlɪ	
acoustics	ə'kaʊstɪks, ə'ku·stɪks	
acquaint	ə'kweɪnt	
acquaints	ə'kweɪnts	
acquainted	ə'kweɪntɪd	
acquainting	ə'kweɪntɪŋ	
acquaintance	ə'kweɪntəns	
acquaintances	ə'kweɪntənsɪz	
acquaintanceship	ə'kweɪntənsʃɪp	
acquaintanceships	ə'kweɪntənsʃɪps	
acquiesce	ækwɪ'ɛs	
acquiesces	ækwɪ'ɛsɪz	
acquiesced	ækwɪ'ɛst	
acquiescing	ækwɪ'ɛsɪŋ	
acquire	ə'kwaɪə(r	ə'kwaɪə
acquires	ə'kwaɪəz	ə'kwaɪəz
acquired	ə'kwaɪəd	ə'kwaɪəd
acquiring	ə'kwaɪərɪŋ	ə'kwaɪrɪŋ
acquirement	ə'kwaɪəmənt	ə'kwaɪəmənt
acquirements	ə'kwaɪəmənts	ə'kwaɪəmənts
acquisition	ækwɪ'zɪʃən	
acquisitions	ækwɪ'zɪʃənz	
acquit	ə'kwɪt	
acquits	ə'kwɪts	
acquitted	ə'kwɪtɪd	
acquitting	ə'kwɪtɪŋ	
acre	'eɪkə(r	eɪkə
acres	'eɪkəz	'eɪkəz
acrimonious	ækrɪ'moʊnjəs	
acrimoniously	ækrɪ'moʊnjəslɪ	
acrobat	'ækrəbæt	
acrobats	'ækrəbæts	
acrobatic	ækrə'bætɪk	
across	ə'krɔs, ə'krɒs	
acrostic	ə'krɒstɪk	
acrostics	ə'krɒstɪks	
act	'ækt	

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acts	ˈækts	
acted	ˈæktɪd	
acting	ˈæktɪŋ	
action	ˈækʃən	
actions	ˈækʃənz	
active	ˈæktɪv	
activity	ækˈtɪvɪtɪ	
activities	ækˈtɪvɪtɪz	
actively	ˈæktɪvlɪ	
actor	ˈæktə(r	ˈæktə
actors	ˈæktəz	ˈæktəz
actress	ˈæktrɪs	
actresses	ˈæktrɪsɪz	
actual	ˈæktjʊəl	
actually	ˈæktjʊəlɪ	
actuality	æktjʊˈælɪtɪ	
actualities	æktjʊˈælɪtɪz	
actuary	ˈæktjʊərɪ	ˈæktjʊɛrɪ
actuaries	ˈæktjʊərɪz	ˈæktjʊɛrɪz
acute	əˈkjuːt	
acuter	əˈkjuːtə(r	əˈkjuːtə
acutest	əˈkjuːtɪst	
acutely	əˈkjuːtlɪ	
acuteness	əˈkjuːtnɪs	
A.D.	ˈeɪˈdiː(ˈænoʊˈdɒmɪnaɪ)	
adapt	əˈdæpt	
adapts	əˈdæpts	
adapted	əˈdæptɪd	
adapting	əˈdæptɪŋ	
adaptability	ədæptəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
adaptable	əˈdæptəbl̩	
adaptation	ædæpˈteɪʃən	
adaptations	ædæpˈteɪʃənz	
add	ˈæd	
adds	ˈædz	
added	ˈædɪd	
adding	ˈædɪŋ	
addition	əˈdɪʃən	
additions	əˈdɪʃənz	
additional	əˈdɪʃənəl	
address	əˈdrɛs	
addresses	əˈdrɛsɪz	
addressed	əˈdrɛst	
addressing	əˈdrɛsɪŋ	
adept, *noun*	ˈædɛpt, əˈdɛpt	
adepts	ˈædɛpts, əˈdɛpts	
adept, *adj.*	əˈdɛpt, æˈdɛpt	

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adequacy	ˈædɪkwəsɪ	
adequate	ˈædɪkwɪt	
adequately	ˈædɪkwɪtlɪ	
adhere	əd′hɪə(r	əd′hɪə
adheres	əd′hɪəz	əd′hɪəz
adhered	əd′hɪəd	əd′hɪəd
adhering	əd′hɪərɪŋ	əd′hɪˈrɪŋ
adherer	əd′hɪərə(r	əd′hɪˈrə
adherers	əd′hɪərəz	əd′hɪˈrəz
adherence	əd′hɪərəns	əd′hɪˈrəns
adherent	əd′hɪərənt	əd′hɪˈrənt
adherents	əd′hɪərənts	əd′hɪˈrənts
adhesion	əd′hiˈʒən	
adhesions	əd′hiˈʒənz	
adjectival	æʤɪk′taɪvəl	
adjectivally	æʤɪk′taɪvəlɪ	
adjective	ˈæʤɪktɪv	
adjectives	ˈæʤɪktɪvz	
adjoin	ə′ʤɔɪn	
adjoins	ə′ʤɔɪnz	
adjoined	ə′ʤɔɪnd	
adjoining	ə′ʤɔɪnɪŋ	
adjourn	ə′ʤəˈn	ə′ʤəən
adjourns	ə′ʤəˈnz	ə′ʤəənz
adjourned	ə′ʤəˈnd	ə′ʤəənd
adjourning	ə′ʤəˈnɪŋ	ə′ʤəənɪŋ
adjournment	ə′ʤəˈnmənt	ə′ʤəənmənt
adjournments	ə′ʤəˈnmənts	ə′ʤəənmənts
adjunct	ˈæʤʌŋk̚t	
adjuncts	ˈæʤʌŋk̚ts	
adjust	ə′ʤʌst	
adjusts	ə′ʤʌsts	
adjusted	ə′ʤʌstɪd	
adjusting	ə′ʤʌstɪŋ	
adjustment	ə′ʤʌstmənt	
adjustments	ə′ʤʌstmənts	
adjutant	ˈæʤʊtənt	
adjutants	ˈæʤʊtənts	
administer	əd′mɪnɪstə(r	əd′mɪnɪstə
administers	əd′mɪnɪstəz	əd′mɪnɪstəz
administered	əd′mɪnɪstəd	əd′mɪnɪstəd
administering	əd′mɪnɪstərɪŋ	
administration	ədmɪnɪs′treɪʃən	
administrations	ədmɪnɪs′treɪʃənz	
administrative	əd′mɪnɪstrətɪv	əd′mɪnɪstreɪtɪv
administrator	əd′mɪnɪstreɪtə	
admirable	ˈædmərəbḷ	

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admirably	ˈædmərəbl̩ɪ	
admiral	ˈædmərəl	
admirals	ˈædmərəlz	
admiralty	ˈædmərəltɪ	
admiration	ædməˈreɪʃən	
admire	əd′maɪə(r	əd′maɪə
admires	əd′maɪəz	əd′maɪəz
admired	əd′maɪəd	əd′maɪəd
admiring	əd′maɪərɪŋ	əd′maɪrɪŋ
admiringly	əd′maɪərɪŋlɪ	əd′maɪrɪŋlɪ
admissible	əd′mɪsɪbl̩	
admission	əd′mɪʃən	
admissions	əd′mɪʃənz	
admit	əd′mɪt	
admits	əd′mɪts	
admitted	əd′mɪtɪd	
admitting	əd′mɪtɪŋ	
admittedly	əd′mɪtɪdlɪ	
admittance	əd′mɪtəns	
admittances	əd′mɪtənsɪz	
ado	ə′duˑ	
adolescence	ædə′lɛsəns	
adolescent	ædə′lɛsənt	
adopt	ə′dɒpt	ə′dɑpt
adopts	ə′dɒpts	ə′dɑpts
adopted	ə′dɒptɪd	ə′dɑptɪd
adopting	ə′dɒptɪŋ	ə′dɑptɪŋ
adoption	ə′dɒpʃən	ə′dɑpʃən
adoptions	ə′dɒpʃənz	ə′dɑpʃənz
adorable	ə′dɔˑrəbl̩	
adorably	ə′dɔˑrəbl̩ɪ	
adoration	ædə′reɪʃən	
adorations	ædə′reɪʃənz	
adore	ə′dɔə(r	ə′dɔə
adores	ə′dɔəz	ə′dɔəz
adored	ə′dɔəd	ə′dɔəd
adoring	ə′dɔərɪŋ	ə′dɔˑrɪŋ
adorer	ə′dɔərə(r	ə′dɔˑrə
adorers	ə′dɔərəz	ə′dɔˑrəz
adorn	ə′dɔˑn	ə′dɔən
adorns	ə′dɔˑnz	ə′dɔənz
adorned	ə′dɔˑnd	ə′dɔənd
adorning	ə′dɔˑnɪŋ	ə′dɔənɪŋ
adornment	ə′dɔˑnmənt	ə′dɔənmənt
adornments	ə′dɔˑnmənts	ə′dɔənmənts
adrift	ə′drɪft	
adult	ə′dʌlt	

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adults	ə′dʌlts	
adulterate	ə′dʌltəreɪt	
adulterates	ə′dʌltəreɪts	
adulterated	ə′dʌltəreɪtɪd	
adultering	ə′dʌltəreɪtɪŋ	
adulteration	ədʌltə′reɪʃən	
adulterations	ədʌltə′reɪʃənz	
advance	əd′vɑːns	əd′vaːns
advances	əd′vɑːnsɪz	əd′vaːnsɪz
advanced	əd′vɑːnst	əd′vanst
advancing	əd′vɑːnsɪŋ	əd′vansɪŋ
advantage	əd′vɑːntɪʤ	əd′vantɪʤ
advantages	əd′vɑːntɪʤɪz	əd′vantɪʤiz
advantageous	ædvən′teɪʤəs	
advantageously	ædvən′teɪʤəslɪ	
adventure	əd′vɛntʃə(r	əd′vɛntʃə
adventures	əd′vɛntʃəz	əd′vɛntʃəz
adventurous	əd′vɛntʃərəs	
adverb	′ædvəb	′ædvəəb
adverbs	′ædvəbz	′ædvəəbz
adverbial	əd′vəːbɪəl	əd′vəəbɪəl
adverbially	əd′vəːbɪəlɪ	əd′vəəbɪəlɪ
adverse	′ædvəs	′ædvəəs
adversely	′æd′vəːslɪ	′æd′vəəslɪ
advertise	′ædvətaɪz	′ædvətaɪz
advertises	′ædvətaɪzɪz	′ædvətaɪzɪz
advertised	′ædvətaɪzd	′ædvətaɪzd
advertising	′ædvətaɪzɪŋ	′ædvətaɪziŋ
advertisement	əd′vəːtɪsmənt	′ædvətaɪzmənt
advertisements	əd′vəːtɪsmənts	′ædvətaɪzmənts
advice	əd′vaɪs	
advices	əd′vaɪsɪz	
advisability	ədvaɪzə′bɪlɪtɪ	
advisable	əd′vaɪzəbḷ	
advise	əd′vaɪz	
advises	əd′vaɪzɪz	
advised	əd′vaɪzd	
advising	əd′vaɪzɪŋ	
adviser	əd′vaɪzə(r	əd′vaɪzə
advisers	əd′vaɪzəz	əd′vaɪzəz
advisory	əd′vaɪzərɪ	
advocate	′ædvəkeɪt	
advocates	′ædvəkeɪts	
advocated	′ædvəkeɪtɪd	
advocating	′ædvəkeɪtɪŋ	
aerial	′ɛərɪəl	eɪ′iːrɪəl
aerially	′ɛərɪəlɪ	eɪ′iːrɪəlɪ

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aeronaut	ˈɛərənɔt	
aeronauts	ˈɛərənɔts	
aeronautic	ɛərəˈnɔˈtɪk	
aeronautical	ɛərəˈnɔˈtɪkəl	
aeronautics	ɛərəˈnɔˈtɪks	
aeroplane	ˈɛərəpleɪn	
aeroplanes	ˈɛərəpleɪnz	
aesthetic	ɛsˈθɛtɪk, isˈθɛtɪk	
aesthetically	ɛsˈθɛtɪkəlɪ, isˈθɛtɪkəlɪ	
affable	ˈæfəb̩	
affair	əˈfɛə(r	əˈfɛə
affairs	əˈfɛəz	əˈfɛəz
affect	əˈfɛkt	
affects	əˈfɛkts	
affected	əˈfɛktɪd	
affecting	əˈfɛktɪŋ	
affectation	æfɛkˈteɪʃən	
affectations	æfɛkˈteɪʃənz	
affection	əˈfɛkʃən	
affections	əˈfɛkʃənz	
affectionate	əˈfɛkʃənɪt	
affectionately	əˈfɛkʃənɪtlɪ	
affiliate	əˈfɪlɪeɪt	
affiliates	əˈfɪlɪeɪts	
affiliated	əˈfɪlɪeɪtɪd	
affiliating	əˈfɪlɪeɪtɪŋ	
affinity	əˈfɪnɪtɪ	
affinities	əˈfɪnɪtɪz	
affirm	əˈfɜˈm	əˈfɜəm
affirms	əˈfɜˈmz	əˈfɜəmz
affirmed	əˈfɜˈmd	əˈfɜəmd
affirming	əˈfɜˈmɪŋ	əˈfɜəmɪŋ
affirmation	æfəˈmeɪʃən	æfəˈmeɪʃən
affirmations	æfəˈmeɪʃənz	æfəˈmeɪʃənz
affirmative	əˈfɜˈmətɪv	əˈfɜəmətɪv
affirmatively	əˈfɜˈmətɪvlɪ	əˈfɜəmətɪvlɪ
afflict	əˈflɪkt	
afflicts	əˈflɪkts	
afflicted	əˈflɪktɪd	
afflicting	əˈflɪktɪŋ	
affliction	əˈflɪkʃən	
afflictions	əˈflɪkʃənz	
afford	əˈfɔˈd	əˈfoəd
affords	əˈfɔˈdz	əˈfoədz
afforded	əˈfɔˈdɪd	əˈfoədɪd
affording	əˈfɔˈdɪŋ	əˈfoədɪŋ
afraid	əˈfreɪd	

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afresh	əˈfrɛʃ	
Africa	ˈæfrɪkə	
African	ˈæfrɪkən	
Africans	ˈæfrɪkənz	
after	ˈɑːftə(r	ˈaːftə
afternoon	ɑftəˈnuːn	aftəˈnuːn
afternoons	ɑftəˈnuːnz	aftəˈnuːnz
afterthought	ˈɑːftəθɔt	ˈaːftəθɔt
afterwards	ˈɑːftəwədz	ˈaːftəwədz
again	əˈgeɪn, əˈgɛn	
against	əˈgeɪnst, əˈgɛnst	
age	ˈeɪʤ	
ages	ˈeɪʤɪz	
aged, *adj.*	ˈeɪʤɪd	
agency	ˈeɪʤənsɪ	
agencies	ˈeɪʤənsɪz	
agent	ˈeɪʤənt	
agents	ˈeɪʤənts	
aggravate	ˈægrəveɪt	
aggravates	ˈægrəveɪts	
aggravated	ˈægrəveɪtɪd	
aggravating	ˈægrəveɪtɪŋ	
aggressive	əˈgrɛsɪv	
aggressively	əˈgrɛsɪvlɪ	
agile	ˈæʤaɪl	ˈæʤɪl
agility	əˈʤɪlɪtɪ	
agitate	ˈæʤɪteɪt	
agitates	ˈæʤɪteɪts	
agitated	ˈæʤɪteɪtɪd	
agitating	ˈæʤɪteɪtɪŋ	
agitator	ˈæʤɪteɪtə(r	ˈæʤɪteɪtə
agitators	ˈæʤɪteɪtəz	ˈæʤɪteɪtəz
agitation	æʤɪˈteɪʃən	
agitations	æʤɪˈteɪʃənz	
agnostic	ægˈnɒstɪk, əgˈnɒstɪk	ægˈnɑstɪk
agnostics	ægˈnɒstɪks, əgˈnɒstɪks	ægˈnɑstɪks
ago	əˈgoʊ	
agony	ˈægənɪ	
agonies	ˈægənɪz	
agree	əˈgriː	
agrees	əˈgriːz	
agreed	əˈgriːd	
agreeing	əˈgriːɪŋ	
agreeable	əˈgrɪəbḷ, əˈgriːəbḷ	
agreeably	əˈgrɪəblɪ, əˈgriːəblɪ	
agreement	əˈgriːmənt	

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agreements	ə′griːmənts	
agricultural	ægrɪ′kʌltʃərəl	
agriculture	′ægrɪkʌltʃə(r	′ægrɪkʌltʃə
aground	ə′graʊnd	
ague	′eɪgju	
ah	′ɑː	
aha	ɑ′hɑː	
ahead	ə′hɛd	
ahem	′m, ′hm	
aid	′eɪd	
aids	′eɪdz	
aided	′eɪdɪd	
aiding	′eɪdɪŋ	
aim	eɪm	
aims	′eɪmz	
aimed	′eɪmd	
aiming	′eɪmɪŋ	
ain't	′eɪnt	
air	ɛə(r	ɛə
airs	′ɛəz	ɛəz
aired	′ɛəd	ɛəd
airing	′ɛərɪŋ	ɛːrɪŋ
airship	′ɛəʃɪp	′ɛəʃɪp
airships	′ɛəʃɪps	′ɛəʃɪps
aisle	aɪl	
aisles	′aɪlz	
aitch, H	eɪtʃ	
aitches, H's	′eɪtʃɪz	
alarm	ə′lɑːm	ə′lɑəm
alarms	ə′lɑːmz	ə′lɑəmz
alarmed	ə′lɑːmd	ə′lɑəmd
alarming	ə′lɑːmɪŋ	ə′lɑəmɪŋ
alarmingly	ə′lɑːmɪŋlɪ	ə′lɑəmɪŋlɪ
alas	ə′læs, ə′lɑːs	
Albert	′ælbət	′ælbət
album	′ælbəm	
albums	′ælbəmz	
alcohol	′ælkəhɒl	
alcoholic	ælkə′hɒlɪk	
alert	ə′lɜːt	ə′lɜət
Alexander	′ælɪg′zændə(r	ælɪg′zaːndə
	′ælɪg′zɑːndə(r	
Alfred	′ælfrɪd	
algebra	′ælʤɪbrə	
algebraic	ælʤɪ′breɪk	
algebraically	ælʤɪ′breɪkəlɪ	
Algeria	æl′ʤɪərɪə	æl′ʤɪːrɪə
alien	′eɪlɪən, ′eɪljən	

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aliens	ˈeɪlɪənz, ˈeɪljənz	
alight	əˈlaɪt	
alights	əˈlaɪts	
alighted	əˈlaɪtɪd	
alighting	əˈlaɪtɪŋ	
alike	əˈlaɪk	
alive	əˈlaɪv	
alkali	ˈælkəlaɪ	
alkalies	ˈælkəlaɪz	
all	ˈɔˑl	
allay	əˈleɪ	
allays	əˈleɪz	
allayed	əˈleɪd	
allaying	əˈleɪɪŋ	
allegation	ælɪˈgeɪʃən	
allegations	ælɪˈgeɪʃən̩z	
allege	əˈlɛʤ	
alleges	əˈlɛʤɪz	
alleged	əˈlɛʤd	
alleging	əˈlɛʤɪŋ	
allegiance	əˈliˑʤəns	
allegory	ˈælɪgərɪ	ˈælɪgɔrɪ
allegories	ˈælɪgərɪz	ˈælɪgɔrɪz
alleviate	əˈliˑvɪeɪt	
alleviates	əˈliˑvɪeɪts	
alleviated	əˈliˑvɪeɪtɪd	
alleviating	əˈliˑvɪeɪtɪŋ	
alley	ˈælɪ	
alleys	ˈælɪz	
alliance	əˈlaɪəns	
alliances	əˈlaɪənsɪz	
alliterate	əˈlɪtəreɪt	
alliterates	əˈlɪtəreɪts	
alliterated	əˈlɪtəreɪtɪd	
alliterating	əˈlɪtəreɪtɪŋ	
alliteration	əlɪtəˈreɪʃən	
alliterations	əlɪtəˈreɪʃənz	
allocate	†ˈæləkeɪt	
allocates	†ˈæləkeɪts	
allocated	†ˈæləkeɪtɪd	
allocating	†ˈæləkeɪtɪŋ	
allocation	†æləˈkeɪʃən	
allocations	†æləˈkeɪʃənz	
allot	əˈlɒt	əˈlɑt
allots	əˈlɒts	əˈlɑts
allotted	əˈlɒtɪd	əˈlɑtɪd

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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allotting	ə'lɒtɪŋ	ə'lɑtɪŋ
allotment	ə'lɒtmənt	ə'lɑtmənt
allotments	ə'lɒtmənts	ə'lɑtmənts
allow	ə'laʊ	
allows	ə'laʊz	
allowed	ə'laʊd	
allowing	ə'laʊɪŋ	
allowance	ə'laʊəns	
allowances	ə'laʊənsɪz	
all right	'ɔl'raɪt	
allude	ə'ljuˈd	
alludes	ə'ljuˈdz	
alluded	ə'ljuˈdɪd	
alluding	ə'ljuˈdɪŋ	
allure	ə'ljʊə(r	ə'ljʊə
allures	ə'ljʊəz	ə'ljʊəz
allured	ə'ljʊəd	ə'ljʊəd
alluring	ə'ljʊərɪŋ	ə'ljuˈrɪŋ
alluringly	ə'ljʊərɪŋlɪ	
allusion	ə'ljuˈʒən	
allusions	ə'ljuˈʒənz	
ally, *noun*	'ælaɪ	
allies	'ælaɪz	
ally, *verb*	ə'laɪ	
allies	ə'laɪz	
allied	ə'laɪd	
allying	ə'laɪɪŋ	
almanac	'ɔˈlmənæk	
almanacs	'ɔˈlmənæks	
almighty	ɔl'maɪtɪ	
almond	'ɑˈmənd	'aˈmənd
almonds	'ɑˈməndz	'aˈməndz
almost	'ɔˈlmoʊst	
alms	ɑˈmz	
alone	ə'l oʊn	
along	ə'lɒŋ	
alongside	əlɒŋ'saɪd	
aloof	ə'luˈf	
aloofness	ə'luˈfnɪs	
aloud	ə'laʊd	
alpaca	æl'pækə	
alphabet	'ælfəbɪt	'ælfəbɛt
alphabets	'ælfəbɪts	'ælfəbɛts
alphabetic	ælfə'bɛtɪk	
alphabetical	ælfə'bɛtɪkəl	
alphabetically	ælfə'bɛtɪkəli	
already	'ɔl'rɛdɪ	

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also	ˈɔːlsoʊ	
altar	ˈɔːltə(r, ˈɒltə(r	ˈɔːltə
altars	ˈɔːltəz, ˈɒltəz	ˈɔːltəz
alter	ˈɔːltə(r, ˈɒltə(r	ˈɔːltə
alters	ˈɔːltəz, ˈɒltə(z	ˈɔːltəz
altered	ˈɔːltəd, ˈɒltəd	ˈɔːltəd
altering	ˈɔːltərɪŋ, ˈɒltərɪŋ	
alteration	ɔltəˈreɪʃən, ɒltəˈreɪʃən	
alterations	ɔltəˈreɪʃənz, ɒltəˈreɪʃənz	
altercation	ɔltəˈkeɪʃən, ɒltəˈkeɪʃən	
altercations	ɔltəˈkeɪʃənz, ɒltəˈkeɪʃənz	
alternate, *adj.*	ɔlˈtɜːnɪt	ɔlˈtɜənɪt
alternately	ɔlˈtɜːnɪtlɪ	ɔlˈtɜənɪtlɪ
alternate, *verb*	ˈɔːltəneɪt	ˈɔːltəneɪt
alternates	ˈɔːltəneɪts	ˈɔːltəneɪts
alternated	ˈɔːltəneɪtɪd	ˈɔːltəneɪtɪd
alternating	ˈɔːltəneɪtɪŋ	ˈɔːltəneɪtɪŋ
alternation	ɔltəˈneɪʃən	ɔltəəˈneɪʃən
alternations	ɔltəˈneɪʃənz	ɔltəəˈneɪʃənz
alternative	ɔlˈtɜːnətɪv	ɔlˈtɜənətɪv
alternatives	ɔlˈtɜːnətivz	ɔlˈtɜənətɪvz
alternatively	ɔlˈtɜːnətɪvlɪ	ɔlˈtɜənətivlɪ
although	ɔlˈðoʊ	
altho (*Amer.*)		
altogether	ɔltəˈgɛðə(r	ɔltəˈgɛðə
altruism	ˈæltruɪzm̩	
altruist	ˈæltruɪst	
altruists	ˈæltruɪsts	
altruistic	æltruˈɪstɪk	
altruistically	æltruˈɪstɪkəlɪ	
alum	ˈæləm	
aluminium	æljuˈmɪnjəm, æljuˈmɪnɪəm	
aluminum (*used only in America*)		əˈljuːmɪnəm
alveolar	ˈælvɪələ(r, ælvɪˈoʊlə(r	ælvɪˈoʊlə
alveolars	ˈælvɪələz, ælvɪˈoʊləz	ælvɪˈoʊləz
alveole	ˈælvɪoʊl	
alveoles	ˈælvɪoʊlz	
always	ˈɔːlwɪz, ˈɔːlwəz, ˈɔːlweɪz	
a.m.	ˈeɪ ˈɛm	
AM *from* be	æm *s.f.* əm, m, *w.fs.*	
amalgamate	əˈmælgəmeɪt	

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amalgamates	ə'mælgəmeɪts	
amalgamated	ə'mælgəmeɪtɪd	
amalgamating	ə'mælgəmeɪtɪŋ	
amalgamation	əmælgə'meɪʃən	
amalgamations	əmælgə'meɪʃənz	
amass	ə'mæs	
amasses	ə'mæsɪz	
amassed	ə'mæst	
amassing	ə'mæsɪŋ	
amateur	'æmətjʊə(r, 'æmə'tɜ·(r	'æmətʃə, 'æmətjʊə, 'æmə'tɜə
amateurs	'æmətjʊəz, 'æmə'tɜ·z	'æmətʃəz, 'æmətjʊə 'æmə'tɜəz
amateurish	'æmə'tjʊərɪʃ 'æmə'tɜ·rɪʃ	æmə'tjʊ·rɪʃ
amaze	ə'meɪz	
amazes	ə'meɪzɪz	
amazed	ə'meɪzd	
amazing	ə'meɪzɪŋ	
amazingly	ə'meɪzɪŋlɪ	
ambassador	æm'bæsədə(r	æm'bæsədə
ambassadors	æm'bæsədəz	æm'bæsədəz
ambiguity	æmbɪ'gjuɪtɪ	
ambiguities	æmbɪ'gjuɪtɪz	
ambiguous	æm'bɪgjʊəs	
ambiguously	æm'bɪgjʊəslɪ	
ambition	æm'bɪʃən	
ambitions	'æm'bɪʃənz	
ambitious	æm'bɪʃəs	
ambitiously	æm'bɪʃəslɪ	
ambulance	'æmbjʊləns	
ambulances	'æmbjʊlənsɪz	
amend	ə'mɛnd	
amends	ə'mɛndz	
amended	ə'mendɪd	
amending	ə'mendɪŋ	
amendment	ə'mɛndmənt	
amendments	ə'mɛndmənts	
America	ə'mɛrɪkə	
American	ə'mɛrɪkən	
Americans	ə'mɛrɪkənz	
americanism	ə'mɛrɪkənɪzm̩	
americanisms	ə'mɛrɪkənɪzm̩z	
americanize	ə'mɛrɪkənaɪz	
americanizes	ə'mɛrɪkənaɪzɪz	
americanized	ə'mɛrɪkənaɪzd	
americanizing	ə'mɛrɪkənaɪzɪŋ	

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amiable	ˈeɪmjəbl̩, ˈeɪmɪəbl̩	
amiably	ˈeɪmjəblɪ, ˈeɪmɪəblɪ	
amicable	ˈæmɪkəbl̩	
amicably	ˈæmɪkəblɪ	
among	əˈmʌŋ	
amongst	əˈmʌŋst	
amorous	ˈæmərəs	
amorously	ˈæmərəslɪ	
amount	əˈmaʊnt	
amounts	əˈmaʊnts	
amounted	əˈmaʊntɪd	
amounting	əˈmaʊntɪŋ	
ample	ˈæmpl̩	
ampler	ˈæmplə(r	ˈæmplə
amplest	ˈæmplɪst	
amply	ˈæmplɪ	
amplification	æmplɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
amplifications	æmplɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
amplify	ˈæmplɪfaɪ	
amplifies	ˈæmplɪfaɪz	
amplified	ˈæmplɪfaɪd	
amplifying	ˈæmplɪfaɪɪŋ	
amputate	ˈæmpjʊteɪt	
amputates	ˈæmpjʊteɪts	
amputated	ˈæmpjʊteɪtɪd	
amputating	ˈæmpjʊteɪtɪŋ	
amputation	æmpjʊˈteɪʃən	
amputations	æmpjʊˈteɪʃənz	
Amsterdam	ˈæmstəˈdæm	ˈæmstədæm
amuse	əˈmjuːz	
amuses	əˈmjuːzɪz	
amused	əˈmjuːzd	
amusing	əˈmjuːzɪŋ	
amusingly	əˈmjuːzɪŋlɪ	
amusement	əˈmjuːzmənt	
amusements	əˈmjuːzmənts	
an	æn *s.f.*, ən *w.f.*	
anachronism	əˈnækrənɪzm̩	
anachronisms	əˈnækrənɪzm̩z	
anæmic	əˈniːmɪk	
anæsthetics	ænɪsˈθɛtɪks	
analogous	əˈnæləgəs	
analogously	əˈnæləgəslɪ	
analogy	əˈnæləʤɪ	
analogies	əˈnæləʤɪz	
analyse	ˈænəlaɪz	
analyses	ˈænəlaɪzɪz	

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analysed	ˈænəlaɪzd	
analysing	ˈænəlaɪzɪŋ	
analysis	əˈnæləsɪs	
analyses	əˈnæləsiz	
analyst	ˈænəlɪst	
analysts	ˈænəlɪsts	
anarchist	ˈænəkɪst, ˈænɑkɪst	ˈænəkɪst, ˈænɑəkɪst
anarchists	ˈænəkɪst, ˈænɑkɪsts	ˈænəkɪsts, ˈænɑəkɪsts
anarchy	ˈænəkɪ, ˈænɑkɪ	ˈænəkɪ, ˈænɑəkɪ
anatomy	əˈnætəmɪ	
ancestor	ˈænsɪstə(r, ˈænsɛstə(r	ˈænsɛstə
ancestors	ˈænsɪstəz, ˈænsɛstəz	ˈænsɛstəz
ancestral	ænsɛstrəl	
ancestry	ˈænsɪstrɪ, ˈænsɛstrɪ	
anchor	ˈæŋkə(r	ˈæŋkə
anchors	ˈæŋkəz	ˈæŋkəz
anchored	ˈæŋkəd	ˈæŋkəd
anchoring	ˈæŋkərɪŋ	
ancient	ˈeɪnʃənt	
anciently	ˈeɪnʃəntlɪ	
and	ˈænd *s.f.*, ənd *w.f.*	
Andrew	ˈændru	
anecdote	ˈænɪkdoʊt	
anecdotes	ˈænɪkdoʊts	
aneroid	ˈænərɔɪd	
aneroids	ˈænərɔɪdz	
angel	ˈeɪnʤəl	
angels	ˈeɪnʤəlz	
anger	ˈæŋgə(r	ˈæŋgə
angle	ˈæŋgl̩	
angles	ˈæŋgl̩z	
anglicism	ˈæŋglɪsɪzm̩	
anglicisms	ˈæŋglɪsɪzm̩z	
anglicize	ˈæŋglɪsaɪz	
anglicizes	ˈæŋglɪsaɪzɪz	
anglicized	ˈæŋglɪsaɪzd	
anglicizing	ˈæŋglɪsaɪzɪŋ	
Anglo-, *prefix*	ˈæŋgloʊ	
angry	ˈæŋgrɪ	
angrier	ˈæŋgrɪə(r	ˈæŋgrɪə
angriest	ˈæŋgrɪst	
angrily	ˈæŋgrɪlɪ	
anguish	ˈæŋgwɪʃ	
angular	ˈæŋgjʊlə(r	ˈæŋgjʊlə

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aniline	ˈænɪlɪn, ˈænɪlaɪn	
animal	ˈænɪməl	
animals	ˈænɪməlz	
animate	ˈænɪmeɪt	
animates	ˈænɪmeɪts	
animated	ˈænɪmeɪtɪd	
animating	ˈænɪmeɪtɪŋ	
animation	ænɪˈmeɪʃən	
animosity	ænɪˈmɒsɪtɪ	ænɪˈmɑsɪtɪ
animosities	ænɪˈmɒsɪtɪz	ænɪˈmɑsɪtɪz
ankle	ˈæŋkl̩	
ankles	ˈæŋkl̩z	
Ann(e)	ˈæn	
annals	ˈænəlz	
annex, *verb*	əˈnɛks	
annexes	əˈnɛksɪz	
annexed	əˈnɛkst	
annexing	əˈnɛksɪŋ	
annex, *noun*	ˈænɛks	
annexes	ˈænɛksɪz	
annexation	ænɛkˈseɪʃən	
annexations	ænɛkˈseɪʃənz	
annihilate	əˈnaɪəleɪt əˈnaɪɪleɪt	
annihilates	əˈnaɪəleɪts əˈnaɪɪleɪts	
annihilated	əˈnaɪəleɪtɪd əˈnaɪɪleɪtɪd	
annihilating	əˈnaɪəleɪtɪŋ əˈnaɪɪleɪtɪŋ	
annihilation	ənaɪəˈleɪʃən ənaɪɪˈleɪʃən	
annihilations	ənaɪəˈleɪʃənz ənaɪɪˈleɪʃənz	
anniversary	ænɪˈvɜːsəri	ænɪˈvɜəsərɪ
anniversaries	ænɪˈvɜːsərɪz	ænɪˈvɜəsərɪz
announce	əˈnaʊns	
announces	əˈnaʊnsɪz	
announced	əˈnaʊnst	
announcing	əˈnaʊnsɪŋ	
announcement	əˈnaʊnsmənt	
announcements	əˈnaʊnsmənts	
annoy	əˈnɔɪ	
annoys	əˈnɔɪz	
annoyed	əˈnɔɪd	
annoying	əˈnɔɪɪŋ	
annoyance	əˈnɔɪəns	

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annoyances	ə′nɔɪənsɪz	
annual	′ænjʊəl	
annually	′ænjʊəlɪ	
anomalous	ə′nɒmələs	ə′nɑmələs
anomaly	ə′nɒməlɪ	ə′nɑməlɪ
anomalies	ə′nɒməlɪz	ə′nɑməlɪz
anonymous	ə′nɒnɪməs	ə′nɑnəməs
anonymously	ə′nɒnɪməslɪ	ə′nɑnəməslɪ
another	ə′nʌðə(r	ə′nʌðə
answer	′ɑːnsə(r	′aːnsə
answers	′ɑːnsəz	′aːnsəz
answered	′ɑːnsəd	′aːnsəd
answering	′ɑːnsərɪŋ	′aːnsərɪŋ
answerable	′ɑːnsərəbḷ	′aːnsərəbḷ
ant	′ænt	
ants	′ænts	
a'n't, *am not*	′ɑːnt	(*apparently not used in America*)
antagonism	æn′tægənɪzm̩	
antagonisms	æn′tægənɪzm̩z	
antagonist	æn′tægənɪst	
antagonists	æn′tægənɪsts	
antagonistic	æntægə′nɪstɪk	
antagonize	æn′tægənaɪz	
antagonizes	æn′tægənaɪzɪz	
antagonized	æn′tægənaɪzd	
antagonizing	æn′tægənaɪzɪŋ	
antecedent	æntɪ′siːdənt	
antecedents	æntɪ′siːdənts	
antelope	′æntɪloʊp	
antelopes	′æntɪloʊps	
anterior	æn′tɪərɪə(r	æn′tɪːrɪə
anthracite	′ænθrəsaɪt	
anti-, *prefix*	′æntɪ	
antics	′æntɪks	
anticipate	æn′tɪsɪpeɪt	
anticipates	æn′tɪsɪpeɪts	
anticipated	æn′tɪsɪpeɪtɪd	
anticipating	æn′tɪsɪpeɪtɪŋ	
anticipation	æntɪsɪ′peɪʃən	
anticipations	æntɪsɪ′peɪʃənz	
antidote	′æntɪdoʊt	
antidotes	′æntɪdoʊts	
antipathy	æn′tɪpəθɪ	
antipathies	æn′tɪpəθɪz	
antipodes	æn′tɪpədiz	
antiquarian	æntɪ′kwɛərɪən	æntɪ′kwɛːrɪən

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antiquarians	æntɪ'kwɛərɪənz	æntɪ'kwɛ·rɪənz
antiquated	'æntɪkweɪtɪd	
antique	æn'ti·k	
antiques	æn'ti·ks	
antiquity	æn'tɪkwɪtɪ	
antiquities	æn'tɪkwɪtɪz	
antiseptic	æntɪ'sɛptɪk	
antiseptics	æntɪ'sɛptɪks	
anxiety	æŋ'zaɪətɪ	
anxieties	æŋ'zaɪətɪz	
anxious	'æŋkʃəs	
anxiously	'æŋkʃəslɪ	
any	'ɛnɪ *s.f.*, n̩ɪ *w.f.*	
anybody	'ɛnɪbɒdɪ, 'ɛnɪbədɪ	'ɛnɪbadɪ
anyhow	'ɛnɪhaʊ	
anything	'ɛnɪθɪŋ	
anywhere	'ɛnɪhwɛə(r	'ɛnɪhwɛə
anyway	'ɛnɪweɪ	
apart	ə'pɑ·t	ə'pɑət
apartment	ə'pɑ·tmənt	ə'pɑətmənt
apartments	ə'pɑ·tmənts	ə'pɑətmənts
ape	'eɪp	
apes	'eɪps	
apiece	ə'pi·s	
apologetic	əpɒlə'ʤɛtɪk	əpalə'ʤɛtɪk
apologetically	əpɒlə'ʤɛtɪkəlɪ	əpalə'ʤɛtɪkəlɪ
apologize	ə'pɒləʤaɪz	ə'paləʤaɪz
apologizes	ə'pɒləʤaɪzɪz	ə'paləʤaɪzɪz
apologized	ə'pɒləʤaɪzd	ə'paləʤaɪzd
apologizing	ə'pɒləʤaɪzɪŋ	ə'paləʤaɪzɪŋ
apology	ə'pɒləʤɪ	ə'paləʤɪ
apologies	ə'pɒləʤɪz	ə'paləʤɪz
apostle	ə'pɒsl̩	ə'pasl̩
apostles	ə'pɒsl̩z	ə'pasl̩z
apostrophe	ə'pɒstrəfɪ	ə'pastrəfɪ
apostrophes	ə'pɒstrəfɪz	ə'pastrəfɪz
appal	ə'pɔ·l	
appals	ə'pɔ·lz	
appalled	ə'pɔ·ld	
appalling	ə'pɔ·lɪŋ	
appallingly	ə'pɔ·lɪŋlɪ	
apparatus	æpə'reɪtəs	
apparent	ə'pærənt	
apparently	ə'pærəntlɪ	
appeal	ə'pi·l	
appeals	ə'pi·lz	
appealed	ə'pi·ld	

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appealing	ə′pi·lɪŋ	
appear	ə′pɪə(r	ə′pɪə
appears	ə′pɪəz	ə′pɪəz
appeared	ə′pɪəd	ə′pɪəd
appearing	ə′pɪərɪŋ	
appearance	ə′pɪərəns	ə′pɪ·rəns
appearances	ə′pɪərənsɪz	ə′pɪ·rənsɪz
append	ə′pɛnd	
appends	ə′pɛndz	
appended	ə′pɛndɪd	
appending	ə′pɛndɪŋ	
appendicitis	əpɛndɪ′saɪtɪs	
appendix	ə′pɛndɪks	
appendixes	ə′pɛndɪksɪz	
appendices	ə′pɛndɪsiz	
appetite	′æpɪtaɪt	
appetites	′æpɪtaɪts	
appetize	′æpɪtaɪz	
appetizing	′æpɪtaɪzɪŋ	
applaud	ə′plɔ·d	
applauds	ə′plɔ·dz	
applauded	ə′plɔ·dɪd	
applauding	ə′plɔ·dɪŋ	
applause	ə′plɔ·z	
apple	′æp̩l	
apples	′æp̩lz	
appliance	ə′plaɪəns	
appliances	ə′plaɪənsɪz	
applicable	′æplɪkəb̩l	
applicant	′æplɪkənt	
applicants	′æplɪkənts	
application	æplɪ′keɪʃən	
applications	æplɪ′keɪʃənz	
apply	ə′plaɪ	
applies	ə′plaɪz	
applied	ə′plaɪd	
applying	ə′plaɪɪŋ	
appoint	ə′pɔɪnt	
appoints	ə′pɔɪnts	
appointed	ə′pɔɪntɪd	
appointing	ə′pɔɪntɪŋ	
appointment	ə′pɔɪntmənt	
appointments	ə′pɔɪntmənts	
appreciable	ə′pri·ʃəb̩l	
appreciably	ə′pri·ʃəb̩li	
appreciate	ə′pri·ʃɪeɪt	
appreciates	ə′pri·ʃɪeɪts	

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appreciated	ə′pri·ʃɪeɪtɪd	
appreciating	ə′pri·ʃɪeɪtɪŋ	
appreciation	əpriʃɪ′eɪʃən	
appreciations	əpriʃɪ′eɪʃənz	
appreciative	ə′pri·ʃɪətɪv	ə′pri·ʃɪeɪtɪv
apprentice	ə′prɛntɪs	
apprentices	ə′prɛntɪsɪz	
approach	ə′proʊtʃ	
approaches	ə′proʊtʃɪz	
approached	ə′proʊtʃt	
approaching	ə′proʊtʃɪŋ	
approbation	æprə′beɪʃən	
	æproʊ′beɪʃən	
appropriate, *adj.*	ə′proʊprɪɪt	
appropriate, *verb*	ə′proʊprɪeɪt	
appropriates	ə′proʊprɪeɪts	
appropriated	ə′proʊprɪeɪtɪd	
appropriating	ə′proʊprɪeɪtɪŋ	
approval	ə′pru·vəl	
approve	ə′pru·v	
approves	ə′pru·vz	
approved	ə′pru·vd	
approving	ə′pru·vɪŋ	
approvingly	ə′pru·vɪŋlɪ	
approximate, *adj.*	ə′prɒksɪmɪt	ə′praksɪmɪt
approximate, *verb*	ə′prɒksɪmeɪt	ə′praksɪmeɪt
approximately	ə′prɒksɪmɪtlɪ	ə′praksɪmɪtlɪ
approximation	əprɒksɪ′meɪʃən	əpraksɪ′meɪʃən
approximations	əprɒksɪ′meɪʃənz	əpraksɪ′meɪʃənz
April	′eɪprəl, ′eɪprɪl	
apron	′eɪprən	
aprons	′eɪprənz	
apt	′æpt	
aptly	′æptlɪ	
aptitude	′æptɪtjud	
aptitudes	′æptɪtjudz	
Arab	′ærəb	
Arabs	′ærəbz	
Arabia	ə′reɪbɪə	
Arabic	′ærəbɪk	
arbitrary	′ɑ·bɪtrərɪ	′ɑəbɪtrɛrɪ
arbitrarily	′ɑ·bɪtrərɪlɪ	′ɑəbɪtrɛrɪlɪ
arbitrate	′ɑ·bɪtreɪt	ɑəbɪtreɪt
arbitrates	′ɑ·bɪtreɪts	ɑəbɪtreɪts
arbitrated	′ɑ·bɪtreɪtɪd	ɑəbɪtreɪtɪd
arbitrating	′ɑ·bɪtreɪtɪŋ	ɑəbɪtreɪtɪŋ
arbitration	ɑ·bɪ′treɪʃən	ɑəbɪ′treɪʃən

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arbitrations	ɑˈbɪˈtreɪʃənz	əbɪˈtreɪʃənz
arc	ɑˈk	ɑək
arcs	ɑˈks	ɑəks
arcade	ɑˈkeɪd	ɑəˈkeɪd
arcades	ɑˈkeɪdz	ɑəˈkeɪdz
arch	ɑˈʧ	ɑəʧ
arches	ˈɑˈʧɪz	ɑəʧɪz
arch-, *prefix*	ɑˈʧ	ɑəʧ
archæological	ɑˈkɪəˈlɒʤɪkəl	ɑəkɪəˈlɑʤɪkl̩
archæology	ɑˈkɪˈɒləʤɪ	ɑəkɪˈɑləʤɪ
archaic	ɑˈkeɪɪk	ɑəˈkeɪɪk
archaism	ɑˈkeɪɪzm̩	ˈɑəkeɪɪzm̩
archaisms	ˈɑˈkeɪɪzm̩z	ɑəkeɪɪzm̩z
archbishop	ɑˈʧbɪʃəp	ɑəʧˈbɪʃəp
archbishops	ɑˈʧˈbɪʃəps	ɑəʧˈbɪʃəps
archer	ˈɑˈʧə(r	ɑəʧə
archers	ˈɑˈʧəz	ˈɑəʧəz
archery	ˈɑˈʧərɪ	ˈɑəʧərɪ
architect	ˈɑˈkɪtɛkt	ɑəkɪtɛkt
architects	ˈɑˈkɪtɛkts	ˈɑəkɪtɛkts
architectural	ɑˈkɪˈtɛktʃərəl	ɑəkɪˈtɛktʃərəl
architecture	ˈɑˈkɪtɛktʃə	ɑəkɪtɛktʃə
archway	ˈɑˈʧweɪ	ˈɑəʧweɪ
archways	ˈɑˈʧweɪz	ˈɑəʧweɪz
arctic	ˈɑˈktɪk	ˈɑəktɪk
arduous	ˈɑˈdjʊəs	ˈɑədjʊəs
ARE	ɑˈ(r *s.f.*, ə(r *w.f.*	ɑə *s.f.*, ə *w.f.*
AREN'T	ɑˈnt	ɑənt
area	ˈɛərɪə	ˈɛˈrɪə
areas	ˈɛərɪəz	ˈɛˈrɪəz
Argentina	ɑʤənˈtiˈnə	ɑəʤənˈtiˈnə
Argentine	ˈɑˈʤəntaɪn	ˈɑəʤəntaɪn
argue	ˈɑˈgju	ˈɑəgju
argues	ˈɑˈgjuz	ˈɑəgjuz
argued	ˈɑˈgjud	ˈɑəgjud
arguing	ˈɑˈgjuɪŋ	ˈɑəgjuɪŋ
argument	ˈɑˈgjʊmənt	ˈɑəgjʊmənt
arguments	ˈɑˈgjʊmənts	ˈɑəgjʊmənts
argumentative	ɑgjuˈmɛntətɪv	ɑəgjuˈmɛntətɪv
aristocracy	ærɪˈstɒkrəsɪ	ærɪˈstɑkrəsɪ
aristocracies	ærɪˈstɒkrəsɪz	ærɪˈstɑkrəsɪz
aristocrat	ˈærɪstəkræt	
aristocrats	ˈærɪstəkræts	
aristocratic	ærɪstəˈkrætɪk	
arithmetic	əˈrɪθmətɪk	
arithmetrical	ærɪθˈmɛtɪkəl	
arithmetically	ærɪθmɛtɪkəlɪ	

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arithmetician	ɔrɪθmə'tɪʃən	
	ærɪθmə'tɪʃən	
arithmeticians	ərɪθmə'tɪʃənz	
	ærɪθmə'tɪʃənz	
ark	ɑ·k	ɑək
arks	ɑ·ks	ɑəks
arm	ɑ·m	ɑəm
arms	ɑ·mz	ɑəmz
armed	ɑ·md	ɑəmd
arming	'ɑ·mɪŋ	ɑəmɪŋ
armament	'ɑ·məmənt	ɑəməmənt
armaments	'ɑ·məmənts	'ɑəməmənts
armchair	ɑ·m'tʃɛə(r, 'ɑ·mtʃɛə(r	ɑəm'tʃɛə
armchairs	ɑ·m'tʃɛəz, 'ɑ·mtʃɛəz	ɑəm'tʃɛəz
armful	'ɑ·mfʊl	'ɑəmfʊl
armfuls	'ɑ·mfʊlz	'ɑəmfʊlz
armistice	'ɑ·mɪstɪs	'ɑəmɪstɪs
armistices	'ɑ·mɪstɪsɪz	'ɑəmɪstɪsɪz
armour	'ɑ·mə(r	'ɑəmə
army	'ɑ· mɪ	'ɑəmɪ
armies	'ɑ·mɪz	'ɑəmɪz
army-corps	'ɑ·mɪkɔ·(r, 'ɑ·mɪkɔə(r	'ɑəmɪkoə
around	ə'raʊnd	
arouse	ə'raʊz	
arouses	ə'raʊzɪz	
aroused	ə'raʊzd	
arousing	ə'raʊzɪŋ	
arrange	ə'reɪnʤ	
arranges	ə'reɪnʤɪz	
arranged	ə'reɪnʤd	
arranging	ə'reɪnʤɪŋ	
arrangement	ə'reɪnʤmənt	
arrangements	ə'reɪnʤmənts	
arrest	ə'rɛst	
arrests	ə'rɛsts	
arrested	ə'rɛstɪd	
arresting	ə'rɛstɪŋ	
arrive	ə'raɪv	
arrives	ə'raɪvz	
arrived	ə'raɪvd	
arriving	ə'raɪvɪŋ	
arrival	ə'raɪvəl	
arrivals	ə'raɪvəlz	
arrogant	†'ærəgənt	
arrogantly	†'ærəgəntlɪ	
arrow	'æroʊ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv, in Introduction

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arrows	ˈærouz	
arsenal	ˈɑˈsɪnəl	ˈɑəsɪnəl
arsenals	ˈɑˈsɪnəlz	ˈɑəsɪnəlz
art	ɑˈt	ɑət
arts	ɑˈts	ɑəts
artery	ˈɑˈtərɪ	ˈɑətərɪ
arteries	ˈɑˈtərɪz	ˈɑətərɪz
artful	ˈɑˈtfʊl	ˈɑətfl̩
artfully	ˈɑˈtfəlɪ, ˈɑˈtfʊlɪ	ˈɑətfəlɪ, ˈɑətfʊlɪ
Arthur	ɑˈθə(r	ˈɑəθə
article	ˈɑˈtɪkl̩	ˈɑətɪkl̩
articles	ˈɑˈtɪkl̩z	ˈɑətɪkl̩z
articulate, *adj.*	ɑˈˈtɪkjʊlɪt	ɑəˈtɪkjʊlɪt
articulate	ɑˈˈtɪkjʊleɪt	ɑəˈtɪkjʊleɪt
articulates	ɑˈˈtɪkjʊleɪts	ɑəˈtɪkjʊleɪts
articulated	ɑˈˈtɪkjʊleɪtɪd	ɑəˈtɪkjʊleɪtɪd
articulating	ɑˈˈtɪkjʊleɪtɪŋ	ɑəˈtɪkjʊleɪtɪŋ
articulation	ɑˈtɪkjʊˈleɪʃən	ɑətɪkjʊˈleɪʃən
articulations	ɑˈtɪkjʊˈleɪʃənz	ɑətɪkjʊˈleɪʃənz
artificial	ɑˈtɪˈfɪʃəl	ɑətɪˈfɪʃəl
artificially	ɑˈtɪˈfɪʃəlɪ	ɑətɪˈfɪʃəlɪ
artificiality	ɑˈtɪfɪʃɪˈælɪtɪ	ɑətɪfɪʃɪˈælɪtɪ
artillery	ɑˈˈtɪləri	ɑəˈtɪlərɪ
artist	ˈɑˈtɪst	ˈɑətɪst
artists	ˈɑˈtɪsts	ˈɑətɪsts
artistic	ɑˈˈtɪstɪk	ɑəˈtɪstɪk
artistically	ɑˈˈtɪstɪkəlɪ	ɑəˈtɪstɪkəlɪ
as	æz *s.f.*, əz *w.f.*	
ascent	əˈsɛnt	
ascents	əˈsɛnts	
ascertain	æsəˈteɪn	
ascertains	æsəˈteɪnz	
ascertained	æsəˈteɪnd	
ascertaining	æsəˈteɪnɪŋ	
ash	æʃ	
ashes	ˈæʃɪz	
ashamed	əˈʃeɪmd	
ashore	əˈʃɔə(r	əˈʃoə
Asia	ˈeɪʃə	
Asiatic	eɪʃɪˈætɪk	
Asiatics	eɪʃɪˈætɪks	
aside	əˈsaɪd	
ask	ɑˈsk	aˈsk
asks	ɑˈsks	aˈsks
asked	ɑˈs*k*t	aˈs*k*t
asking	ˈɑˈskɪŋ	ˈaˈskɪŋ
asleep	əˈsliˈp	

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asparagus	əs'pærəgəs	
aspect	'æspɛkt	
aspects	'æspɛkts	
aspirate, *noun*	'æspərɪt	
aspirates	'æspərɪts	
aspirate, *verb*	'æspəreɪt	
aspirates	'æspəreɪts	
aspirated	'æspəreɪtɪd	
aspirating	'æspəreɪtɪŋ	
ass	'æs	
asses	'æsɪz	
assassin	ə'sæsɪn	
assassins	ə'sæsɪnz	
assassinate	ə'sæsɪneɪt	
assassinates	ə'sæsɪneɪts	
assassinated	ə'sæsineɪtɪd	
assassinating	ə'sæsɪneɪtɪŋ	
assassination	əsæsɪ'neɪʃən	
assassinations	əsæsɪ'neɪʃənz	
assault	ə'sɔlt, ə'sɒlt	
assaults	ə'sɔlts, ə'sɒlts	
assaulted	ə'sɔltɪd, ə'sɒltɪd	
assaulting	ə'sɔltɪŋ, ə'sɒltɪŋ	
assemble	ə'sɛmbḷ	
assembles	ə'sɛmbḷz	
assembled	ə'sɛmbḷd	
assembling	ə'sɛmblɪŋ	
assent	ə'sɛnt	
assents	ə'sɛnts	
assented	ə'sɛntɪd	
assenting	ə'sɛntɪŋ	
assert	ə'sɜ·t	ə'sɜət
asserts	ə'sɜ·ts	ə'sɜəts
asserted	ə'sɜ·tɪd	ə'sɜətɪd
asserting	ə'sɜ·tɪŋ	ə'sɜətɪŋ
assertion	ə'sɜ·ʃən	ə'sɜəʃən
assertions	ə'sɜ·ʃənz	ə'sɜəʃənz
assets	'æsɛts	
assimilate	ə'sɪmɪleɪt	
assimilates	ə'sɪmɪleɪts	
assimilated	ə'sɪmɪleɪtɪd	
assimilating	ə'sɪmɪleɪtɪŋ	
assimilation	əsɪmɪ'leɪʃən	
assimilations	əsɪmɪ'leɪʃənz	
assist	ə'sɪst	
assists	ə'sɪsts	
assisted	ə'sɪstɪd	

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assisting	ə′sɪstɪŋ	
assistance	ə′sɪstəns	
assistances	ə′sɪstənsɪz	
assistant	ə′sɪstənt	
assistants	ə′sɪstənts	
associate, *noun*	ə′souʃɪt	
associates	ə′souʃɪts	
associate, *verb*	ə′souʃɪeɪt	
associates	ə′souʃɪeɪts	
associated	ə′souʃɪeɪtɪd	
associating	ə′souʃɪeɪtɪŋ	
association	əsouʃɪ′eɪʃən əsoʊsɪ′eɪʃən	
associations	əsouʃɪ′eɪʃənz əsoʊsɪ′eɪʃənz	
assort	ə′sɔːt	ə′sɔət
assorts	ə′sɔːts	ə′sɔəts
assorted	ə′sɔːtɪd	ə′sɔətɪd
assorting	ə′sɔːtɪŋ	ə′sɔətɪŋ
assortment	ə′sɔːtmənt	ə′sɔətmənt
assortments	ə′sɔːtmənts	ə′sɔətmənts
assume	ə′sjuːm	
assumes	ə′sjuːmz	
assumed	ə′sjuːmd	
assuming	ə′sjuːmɪŋ	
assumption	ə′sʌmpʃən	
assumptions	ə′sʌmpʃənz	
assure	ə′ʃuə	
assures	ə′ʃuəz	ə′ʃʊɔz
assured	ə′ʃuəd	ə′ʃuəd
assuring	ə′ʃuərɪŋ	ə′ʃuːrɪŋ
assurance	ə′ʃuərəns	ə′ʃuːrəns
assurances	ə′ʃuərənsɪz	ə′ʃuːrənsɪz
asterisk	′æstərɪsk	
asterisks	′æstərɪsks	
asthma	′æsmə	′æzmə
astonish	ə′stɒnɪʃ	ə′stɑnɪʃ
astonishes	ə′stɒnɪʃɪz	ə′stɑnɪʃɪz
astonished	ə′stɒnɪʃt	ə′stɑnɪʃt
astonishing	ə′stɒnɪʃɪŋ	ə′stɑnɪʃɪŋ
astonishingly	ə′stɒnɪʃɪŋlɪ	ə′stɑnɪʃɪŋlɪ
astonishment	ə′stɒnɪʃmənt	ə′stɑnɪʃmənt
astound	ə′staʊnd	
astounds	ə′staʊndz	
astounded	ə′staʊndɪd	
astounding	ə′staʊndɪŋ	
astray	ə′streɪ	

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astrology	ə'strɒləʤɪ	ə'strɑləʤɪ
astronomer	ə'strɒnəmə(r	ə'strɑnəmə
astronomers	ə'strɒnəməz	ə'strɑnəməz
astronomical	æstrə'nɒmɪkəl	æstrə'nɑmɪkəl
astronomy	ə'strɒnəmɪ	ə'strɑnəmɪ
at	æt *s.f.*, ət *w.f.*	
ATE, *from* eat	'ɛt	eɪt
atheist	'eɪθɪust	
atheists	'eɪθɪusts	
Athens	'æθɪnz	
athlete	'æθlit	
athletes	'æθlits	
athletic	æθ'lɛtɪk	
atlas	'ætləs	
atlases	'ætləsɪz	
atmosphere	'ætməsfɪə(r	'ætməsfɪə
atmospheres	'ætməsfɪəz	'ætməsfɪəz
atom	'ætəm	
atoms	'ætəmz	
atrocious	ə'trouʃəs	
atrociously	ə'trouʃəslɪ	
atrocity	ə'trɒsɪtɪ	ə'trɑsɪtɪ
atrocities	ə'trɒsɪtɪz	ə'trɑsɪtɪz
attach	ə'tætʃ	
attaches	ə'tætʃɪz	
attached	ə'tætʃt	
attaching	ə'tætʃɪŋ	
attachment	ə'tætʃmənt	
attachments	ə'tætʃmənts	
attack	ə'tæk	
attacks	ə'tæks	
attacked	ə'tækt	
attacking	ə'tækɪŋ	
attain	ə'teɪn	
attains	ə'teɪnz	
attained	ə'teɪnd	
attaining	ə'teɪnɪŋ	
attainment	ə'teɪnmənt	
attainments	ə'teɪnmənts	
attempt	ə'tɛmpt	
attempts	ə'tɛmpts	
attempted	ə'tɛmptɪd	
attempting	ə'tɛmptɪŋ	
attend	ə'tɛnd	
attends	ə'tɛndz	
attended	ə'tɛndɪd	
attending	ə'tɛndɪŋ	

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attendance	ə′tɛndəns	
attendances	ə′tɛndənsɪz	
attendant	ə′tɛndənt	
attendants	ə′tɛndənts	
attention	ə′tɛnʃən	
attentions	ə′tɛnʃənz	
attentive	ə′tɛntɪv	
attentively	ə′tɛntɪvlɪ	
attitude	′ætɪtjud	
attitudes	′ætɪtjudz	
attract	ə′trækt	
attracts	ə′trækts	
attracted	ə′træktɪd	
attracting	ə′træktɪŋ	
attraction	ə′trækʃən	
attractions	ə′trækʃənz	
attractive	ə′træktɪv	
attractively	ə′træktɪvlɪ	
attribute	′ætrɪbjut	
attributes	′ætrɪbjuts	
attribute	ə′trɪbjut	
attributes	ə′trɪbjuts	
attributed	ə′trɪbjutɪd	
attributing	ə′trɪbjutɪŋ	
auction	′ɔˑkʃən	
auctions	′ɔˑkʃənz	
auctioneer	ɔkʃə′nɪə(r	ɔkʃə′nɪə
auctioneers	ɔkʃə′nɪəz	ɔkʃə′nɪəz
audacious	ɔ′deɪʃəs	
audaciously	ɔ′deɪʃəslɪ	
audacity	ɔ′dæsɪtɪ	
audible	′ɔˑdɪbḷ	
audience	′ɔˑdjəns, ′ɔˑdɪəns	
audiences	′ɔˑdjənsɪz, ′ɔˑdɪənsɪz	
audition	ɔ′dɪʃən	
auditorium	ɔdɪ′tɔˑrɪəm	ɔdɪ′toˑrɪəm
auditoriums	ɔdɪ′tɔˑrɪəmz	ɔdɪ′toˑrɪəmz
August	′ɔˑgəst	
aunt	ɑˑnt	aˑnt
aunts	ɑˑnts	aˑnts
auspices	′ɔˑspɪsɪz	
Australia	ɔs′treɪljə	
Australian	ɔs′treɪljən	
Australians	ɔs′treɪljənz	
Austria	′ɔˑstrɪə, ′ɒstrɪə	
Austrian	′ɔˑtrɪən, ′ɒstrɪən	
Austrians	′ɔˑstrɪənz, ′ɒstrɪənz	

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authentic	ɔ'θɛntɪk	
author	'ɔ·θə(r	'ɔ·θə
authors	'ɔ·θəz	'ɔ·θəz
authoress	'ɔ·θərɪs	
authoresses	'ɔ·θərɪsɪz	
authority	ə'θɒrɪtɪ, ɔ'θɒrɪtɪ	ə'θarɪtɪ, ɔ'θarɪtɪ
authorities	ə'θɒrɪtɪz, ɔ'θɒrɪtɪz	ə'θarɪtɪz, ɔ'θarɪtɪz
authorization	ɔθəraɪ'zeɪʃən	
authorizations	ɔθəraɪ'zeɪʃənz	
authorize	'ɔ·θəraɪz	
authorizes	'ɔ·θəraɪzɪz	
authorized	'ɔ·θəraɪzd	
authorizing	'ɔ·θəraɪzɪŋ	
autocrat	'ɔ·təkræt	
autocrats	'ɔ·təkræts	
autocratic	ɔtə'krætɪk	
autograph	'ɔ·təgræf, 'ɔ·təgraf	
autographs	'ɔ·təgræfs, 'ɔ·təgrafs	
automatic	ɔtə'mætɪk	
automobile	ɔtə'moʊbɪl	ɔtəmoʊ'bi·l
automobiles	ɔtə'moʊbɪlz	ɔtəmoʊ'bi·lz
autumn	'ɔ·təm	
auxiliary	ɔg'zɪljərɪ, ɔk'zɪljərɪ	
auxiliaries	ɔg'zɪljərɪz, ɔk'zɪljərɪz	
avail	ə'veɪl	
avails	ə'veɪlz	
availed	ə'veɪld	
availing	ə'veɪlɪŋ	
available	ə'veɪləbḷ	
avalanche	'ævəla·nʃ	'ævəla·nʃ
avalanches	'ævəla·nʃɪz	'ævəla·nʃɪz
avarice	'ævərɪs	
avaricious	ævə'rɪʃəs	
avenge	ə'vɛnʤ	
avenges	ə'vɛnʤɪz	
avenged	ə'vɛnʤd	
avenging	ə'vɛnʤɪŋ	
avenger	ə'vɛnʤə(r	ə'vɛnʤə
avengers	ə'vɛnʤəz	ə'vɛnʤəz
avenue	'ævɪnju	
avenues	'ævɪnjuz	
averse	ə'və·s	ə'vəəs
aversion	ə'və·ʃən	ə'vəəʃən
aversions	ə'və·ʃənz	ə'vəəʃənz
avert	ə'və·t	ə'vəət
averts	ə'və·ts	ə'vəəts

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averted	əˈvəːtɪd	əˈvəətɪd
averting	əˈvəːtɪŋ	əˈvəətɪŋ
aviation	eɪvɪˈeɪʃən	
aviator	ˈeɪvɪeɪtə(r	ˈeɪvɪeɪtə
aviators	ˈeɪvɪeɪtəz	ˈeɪvɪeɪtəz
avoid	əˈvɔɪd	
avoids	əˈvɔɪdz	
avoided	əˈvɔɪdɪd	
avoiding	əˈvɔɪdɪŋ	
await	əˈweɪt	
awaits	əˈweɪts	
awaited	əˈweɪtɪd	
awaiting	əˈweɪtɪŋ	
awake	əˈweɪk	
awakes	əˈweɪks	
awaking	əˈweɪkɪŋ	
awaken	əˈweɪkən	
awakens	əˈweɪkənz	
awakened	əˈweɪkənd	
awakening	əˈweɪkənɪŋ	
aware	əˈwɛə	əˈwɛə
away	əˈweɪ	
awful	ˈɔːfl̩, ɔːful	
awfully	ˈɔːfəlɪ, ˈɔːfulɪ	
awkward	ˈɔːkwəd	ˈɔːkwəd
awkwardly	ˈɔːkwədlɪ	ˈɔːkwədlɪ
awkwardness	ˈɔːkwədnɪs	ˈɔːkwədnɪs
awoke	əˈwoʊk	
axe (*Amer.* **ax**)	æks	
axes	ˈæksɪz	

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B	biː	
B's	biːz	
baby	ˈbeɪbɪ	
babies	ˈbeɪbɪz	
bachelor	ˈbætʃələ(r	bætʃələ
bachelors	ˈbætʃələz	ˈbætʃələz
back	bæk	
backs	bæks	
background	ˈbækgraʊnd	
backgrounds	ˈbækgraʊndz	
bacon	ˈbeɪkən	
bad	bæd	
badge	bædʒ	

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badges	ˈbæʤɪz	
badly	ˈbædlɪ	
baffling	ˈbæflɪŋ	
bag	bæg	
bags	bægz	
baggage	ˈbægɪʤ	
bait	beɪt	
bake	beɪk	
bakes	beɪks	
baked	beɪkt	
baking	ˈbeɪkɪŋ	
baker	ˈbeɪkə(r	beɪkə
bakers	ˈbeɪkəz	beɪkəz
balance	ˈbæləns	
balances	ˈbælənsɪz	
balanced	ˈbælənst	
balancing	ˈbælənsɪŋ	
bald	bɔˑld	
bale	beɪl	
bales	beɪlz	
baled	beɪld	
baling	ˈbeɪlɪŋ	
ball	bɔˑl	
balls	bɔˑlz	
balloon	bəˈluˑn	
balloons	bəˈluˑnz	
Baltic	ˈbɔltɪk, ˈbɒltɪk	
bamboo	bæmˈbuˑ	
bamboos	bæmˈbuˑz	
banana	bəˈnɑˑnə	bəˈnaˑnə
bananas	bəˈnɑˑnəz	bəˈnaˑnəz
band	bænd	
bands	bændz	
bandage	ˈbændɪʤ	
bandages	ˈbændɪʤɪz	
bandaged	ˈbændɪʤd	
bandaging	ˈbændɪʤɪŋ	
bandmaster	ˈbænɑmɑstə(r	ˈbænɑmastə
bandmasters	ˈbænɑmɑstəz	ˈbænɑmastəz
bandstand	ˈbænɑstænd	
bandstands	ˈbænɑstændz	
bang	bæŋ	
bangs	bæŋz	
banged	bæŋd	
banging	ˈbæŋɪŋ	
banish	ˈbænɪʃ	
banishes	ˈbænɪʃɪz	

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banished	ˈbænɪʃt	
banishing	ˈbænɪʃɪŋ	
banishment	ˈbænɪʃmənt	
banishments	ˈbænɪʃmənts	
bank	bæŋk	
banks	bæŋks	
banker	ˈbæŋkə(r	bæŋkə
bankers	ˈbæŋkəz	ˈbæŋkəz
bank-note	ˈbæŋknoʊt	
bank-notes	ˈbæŋknoʊts	
bankrupt	ˈbæŋkrʌpt ˈbæŋkrəpt	
bankrupts	ˈbæŋkrʌpts ˈbæŋkrəpts	
baptism	ˈbæptɪzm̩	
baptisms	ˈbæptɪzm̩z	
baptist	ˈbæptɪst	
baptists	ˈbæptɪsts	
baptize	bæpˈtaɪz	
baptizes	bæpˈtaɪzɪz	
baptized	bæpˈtaɪzd	
baptizing	bæpˈtaɪzɪŋ	
bar	bɑˑ(r	bɑə
bars	bɑˑz	bɑəz
barred	bɑˑd	bɑəd
barring	bɑˑrɪŋ	
barbarian	bɑˈbɛərɪən	bɑəˈbɛˑrɪən
barbarians	bɑˈbɛərɪənz	bɑəˈbɛˑrɪənz
barbarous	ˈbɑˑbərəs	ˈbɑəbɚəs
barbarously	ˈbɑˑbərəslɪ	ˈbɑəbɚəslɪ
barber	ˈbɑˑbə(r	ˈbɑəbə
barbers	ˈbɑˑbəz	ˈbɑəbəz
Barcelona	ˈbɑsɪˈlounə	ˈbɑəsɪˈlounə
bare	bɛə(r	bɛə
bareness	ˈbɛənɪs	ˈbɛənɪs
bargain	ˈbɑˑgɪn	ˈbɑəgɪn
bargains	ˈbɑˑgɪnz	ˈbɑəgɪnz
bargained	ˈbɑˈgɪnd	ˈbɑəgɪnd
bargaining	ˈbɑˑgɪnɪŋ	ˈbɑəgɪnɪŋ
barge	bɑˑʤ	bɑəʤ
barges	ˈbɑˑʤɪz	ˈbɑəʤɪz
bark	bɑˑk	bɑək
barks	bɑˑks	bɑəks
barked	bɑˑkt	bɑəkt
barking	ˈbɑˑkɪŋ	ˈbɑəkɪŋ
barley	ˈbɑˑlɪ	ˈbɑəlɪ
barn	bɑˑn	bɑən

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barns	bɑˈnz	bɑənz
barometer	bəˈrɒmɪtə(r	bəˈrɑmɪtə
barometers	bəˈrɒmɪtəz	bəˈrɑmɪtəz
baron	ˈbærən	
barons	ˈbærənz	
barrack	ˈbærək	
barracks	ˈbærəks	
barrel	ˈbærəl	
barrels	ˈbærəlz	
barren	ˈbærən	
barrier	ˈbærɪə(r	ˈbærɪə
barriers	ˈbærɪəz	ˈbærɪəz
barrister	ˈbærɪstə(r	ˈbærɪstə
barristers	ˈbærɪstəz	ˈbærɪstəz
base	beɪs	
bases	ˈbeɪsɪz	
based	beɪst	
basing	ˈbeɪsɪŋ	
baser	ˈbeɪsə(r	beɪsə
basest	ˈbeɪsɪst	
basely	ˈbeɪslɪ	
baseness	ˈbeɪsnɪs	
bashful	ˈbæʃful	
bashfully	ˈbæʃfəlɪ, ˈbæʃfulɪ	
bashfulness	ˈbæʃfəlnɪs, ˈbæʃfulnɪs	
basic	ˈbeɪsɪk	
basin	ˈbeɪsn̩	
basins	ˈbeɪsn̩z	
basis	ˈbeɪsɪs	
bases	ˈbeɪsiz	
basket	ˈbɑˑskɪt	ˈbaˑskɪt
baskets	ˈbɑˑskɪts	ˈbaˑskɪts
basketful	ˈbɑˑskɪtful	ˈbaˑskɪtful
basketfuls	ˈbɑˑskɪtfulz	ˈbaˑskɪtfulz
bass (*in music*)	beɪs	
bat	bæt	
bats	bæts	
batch	bætʃ	
batches	bætʃɪz	
bath, *noun*	bɑˑθ	baˑθ
baths, *noun*	bɑðz	baˑðz
bath, *verb*	bɑˑθ	baˑθ
baths	bɑˑθs	baˑθs
bathed	bɑˑθt	baˑθt
bathing	ˈbɑˑθɪŋ	ˈbaˑθɪŋ
bathe	beɪð	
bathes	beɪðz	

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bathed	beɪðd	
bathing	ˈbeɪðɪŋ	
bathroom	ˈbɑˑθrum, ˈbɑˑθrʊm	ˈbaˑθrum
bathrooms	ˈbɑˑθrumz ˈbɑˑθrʊmz	ˈbaˑθrumz
battalion	bəˈtæljən	
battalions	bəˈtæljənz	
battle	ˈbætl̩	
battles	ˈbætl̩z	
Bavaria	bəˈvɛərɪə	bəˈvɛˑrɪə
Bavarian	bəˈvɛərɪən	bəˈvɛˑrɪən
Bavarians	bəˈvɛərɪənz	bəˈvɛˑrɪənz
bazaar	bəˈzɑˑ(r	bəˈzɑə
bazaars	bəˈzɑˑz	bəˈzɑəz
be	biˑ *s.f.*, bi, bɪ *w.fs.*	
being	ˈbiˑɪŋ	
been	biˑn, bɪn, *s.fs.* bɪn *w.f.*	(*usually* bɪn)
am	æm *s.f.*, əm, m *w.fs.*	
is	ɪz *s.f.*, z, s *w.fs.*	
are	ɑˑ(r *s.f.*, ə(r *w.f.*	ɑə *s.f.*, ə *w.f.*
was	wɒz *s.f.*, wəz *w.f.*	wɑz *s.f.*, wəz *w.f.*
were	wɜˑ(r wɛə(r, *s.fs.*, wə(r *w.f.*	wɜə *s.f.*, wə *w.f.*
beach	biˑtʃ	
beaches	ˈbiˑtʃɪz	
bead	biˑd	
beads	biˑdz	
beak	biˑk	
beaks	biˑks	
beam	biˑm	
beams	biˑmz	
bean	biˑn	
beans	biˑnz	
bear	bɛə(r	bɛə
bears	bɛəz	bɛəz
bore	bɔə(r	boə
borne	bɔˑn, bɔən	boən
bearing	ˈbɛərɪŋ	bɛˑrɪŋ
bearer	ˈbɛərə(r	ˈbɛˑrə
bearers	ˈbɛərəz	ˈbɛˑrəz
beard	bɪəd	bɪəd
beards	bɪədz	bɪədz
bearded	ˈbɪədɪd	ˈbɪədɪd
beast	biˑst	
beasts	biˑsts	
beastly	ˈbiˑstlɪ	

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beat	biˈt	
beats	biˈts	
beaten	biˈtn̩	
beating	biˈtɪŋ	
beautiful	ˈbjuˈtɪful	
beautifully	ˈbjuˈtɪfəlɪ	
beauty	ˈbjuˈtɪ	
beauties	ˈbjuˈtɪz	
BECAME *from* become	bɪˈkeɪm	
because	bɪˈkɒz, bɪˈkɔz	
beckon	ˈbɛkən	
beckons	ˈbɛkənz	
beckoned	ˈbɛkənd	
beckoning	ˈbɛkənɪŋ	
become	bɪˈkʌm	
becomes	bɪˈkʌmz	
became	bɪˈkeɪm	
becoming, *adj.*	bɪˈkʌmɪŋ	
bed	bɛd	
beds	bɛdz	
bedroom	ˈbɛdrum, ˈbɛdrʊm	
bedrooms	bɛdrumz, ˈbɛdrʊmz	
bee	biˈ	
bees	biˈz	
beef	biˈf	
beefsteak	ˈbiˈfˈsteɪk	
beefsteaks	ˈbiˈfˈsteɪks	
BEEN *from* be	biˈn, bɪn	(*usually* bɪn)
beer	bɪə(r	bɪə
beetle	ˈbiˈtl̩	
beetles	ˈbiˈtl̩z	
before	bɪˈfɔə(r	bɪˈfoə
beforehand	bɪˈfɔəhænd	bɪˈfoəhænd
beg	bɛg	
begs	bɛgz	
begged	bɛgd	
begging	ˈbɛgɪŋ	
BEGAN *from* begin	bɪˈgæn	
beggar	ˈbɛgə(r	bɛgə
beggars	ˈbɛgəz	ˈbɛgəz
begin	bɪˈgɪn	
begins	bɪˈgɪnz	
began	bɪˈgæn	
begun	bɪˈgʌn	
beginning, *noun*	bɪˈgɪnɪŋ	
behalf	bɪˈhɑˈf	bɪˈhaˈf
behave	bɪˈheɪv	

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behaves	bɪ'heɪvz	
behaved	bɪ'heɪvd	
behaving	bɪ'heɪvɪŋ	
behavior (*Amer.*)		
behaviors (*Amer.*)		
behaviour	bɪ'heɪvjə(r	bɪ'heɪvjə
behaviours	bɪ'heɪvjəz	bɪ'heɪvjəz
behind	bɪ'haɪnd	
behindhand	bɪ'haɪndhænd	
being, *noun*	'biːɪŋ	
beings	'biːɪŋz	
BEING *from* be	'biːɪŋ	
Belgian	'bɛldʒən	
Belgians	'bɛldʒənz	
Belgium	'bɛldʒəm	
Belgrade	bɛl'greɪd	
belief	bɪ'liːf	
beliefs	bɪ'liːfs	
believe	bɪ'liːv	
believes	bɪ'liːvz	
believed	bɪ'liːvd	
believing	bɪ'liːvɪŋ	
believer	bɪ'liːvə(r	bɪ'liːvə
believers	bɪ'liːvəz	bɪ'liːvəz
bell	bɛl	
bells	bɛlz	
bellows	'bɛlouz	
belly	'bɛlɪ	
bellies	'bɛlɪz	
belong	bɪ'lɒŋ	
belongs	bɪ'lɒŋz	
belonged	bɪ'lɒŋd	
belonging	bɪ'lɒŋɪŋ	
below	bɪ'lou	
belt	bɛlt	
belts	bɛlts	
bench	bɛntʃ	
benches	bɛntʃɪz	
bend	bɛnd	
bends	bɛndz	
bent	bɛnt	
bending	bɛndɪŋ	
beneath	bɪ'niːθ	
benefactor	'bɛnɪfæktə(r	bɛnɪ'fæktə
benefactors	'bɛnɪfæktəz	bɛnɪ'fæktəz
beneficial	bɛnɪ'fɪʃəl	
benefit	'bɛnɪfɪt	

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benefits	ˈbɛnɪfɪts	
benefited	ˈbɛnɪfɪtɪd	
benefiting	ˈbɛnɪfɪtɪŋ	
benevolence	bɪˈnɛvələns	
benevolent	bɪˈnɛvələnt	
benevolently	bɪˈnɛvələntlɪ	
Bengal	bɛŋˈgɔˑl, bɛnˈgɔˑl	
BENT *from* bend	bɛnt	
Berlin	ˈbɜˑˈlɪn	ˈbɜəˈlɪn
berry	ˈbɛrɪ	
berries	ˈbɛrɪz	
berth	bɜˑθ	bɜəθ
berths	bɜˑθs, bɜˑðz	bɜəθs
beside	bɪˈsaɪd	
besides	bɪˈsaɪdz	
best	bɛst	
bet	bɛt	
bets	bɛts	
betted	ˈbɛtɪd	
betting	ˈbɛtɪŋ	
betray	bɪˈtreɪ	
betrays	bɪˈtreɪz	
betrayed	bɪˈtreɪd	
betraying	bɪˈtreɪɪŋ	
better	ˈbɛtə(r	bɛtə
betterment	ˈbɛtəmənt	ˈbɛtəmənt
between	bɪˈtwiˑn, bəˈtwiˑn	
bewilder	bɪˈwɪldə(r	bɪˈwɪldə
bewilders	bɪˈwɪldəz	bɪˈwɪldəz
bewildered	bɪˈwɪldəd	bɪˈwɪldəd
bewildering	bɪˈwɪldərɪŋ	bɪˈwɪldərɪŋ
beyond	bɪˈjɒnd	bɪˈjɑnd
Bible	ˈbaɪbḷ	
Bibles	ˈbaɪbḷz	
biblical	ˈbɪblɪkḷ	
bicycle	ˈbaɪsɪkḷ	
bicycles	ˈbaɪsɪkḷz	
bid	bɪd	
bids	bɪdz	
bidding	ˈbɪdɪŋ	
big	bɪg	
bigger	ˈbɪgə(r	ˈbɪgə
biggest	ˈbɪgɪst	
bill	bɪl	
bills	bɪlz	
billiard	ˈbɪljəd	ˈbɪljəd
billiards	ˈbɪljədz	ˈbɪljədz

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bind	baɪnd	
binds	baɪndz	
bound	baʊnd	
binding	ˈbaɪndɪŋ	
biography	baɪˈɒgrəfɪ	baɪˈɑgrəfɪ
biographies	baɪˈɒgrəfɪz	baɪˈɑgrəfɪz
biology	baɪɒləʤɪ	baɪˈɑləʤɪ
birch	bɜˈʧ	bɜəʧ
birches	bɜˈʧɪz	bɜəʧɪz
bird	bɜˈd	bɜəd
birds	bɜˈdz	bɜədz
Birmingham	ˈbɜˈmɪŋəm	ˈbɜəmɪŋhæm
birth	bɜˈθ	bɜəθ
births	bɜˈθs	bɜəθs
birthday	ˈbɜˈθdeɪ	ˈbɜəθdeɪ
birthdays	ˈbɜˈθdeɪz	ˈbɜəθdeɪz
birthplace	ˈbɜˈθpleɪs	ˈbɜəθpleɪs
birthplaces	ˈbɜˈθpleɪsɪz	ˈbɜəθpleɪsɪz
biscuit	ˈbɪskɪt	
biscuits	ˈbɪskɪts	
bisect	baɪˈsɛkt	
bisects	baɪˈsɛkts	
bisected	baɪˈsɛktɪd	
bisecting	baɪsɛktɪŋ	
bishop	ˈbɪʃəp	
bishops	ˈbɪʃəps	
bit	bɪt	
bits	bɪts	
bite	baɪt	
bites	baɪts	
bit	bɪt	
bitten	bɪtn̩	
biting	ˈbaɪtɪŋ	
bitter	ˈbɪtə(r	ˈbɪtə
bitterer	ˈbɪtərə(r	ˈbɪtərə
bitterest	ˈbɪtərɪst	ˈbɪtrɪst
bitterly	ˈbɪtəlɪ	ˈbɪtəlɪ
bitterness	ˈbɪtənɪs	ˈbɪtənɪs, bɪtənəs
black	blæk	
blacker	ˈblækə(r	ˈblækə
blackest	ˈblækɪst	
blackish	ˈblækɪʃ	
blackness	ˈblæknɪs	
blackbird	ˈblækbɜd	ˈblækbɜəd
blackbirds	ˈblækbɜdz	ˈblækbɜədz
blackboard	ˈblækbɔˈd	ˈblækboəd
blackboards	ˈblækbɔˈdz	ˈblækboədz

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blacken	ˈblækən	
blackens	ˈblækənz	
blackened	ˈblækənd	
blackening	ˈblækənɪŋ	
blacksmith	ˈblæksmɪθ	
blacksmiths	ˈblæksmɪθs	
blade	bleɪd	
blades	bleɪdz	
blame	bleɪm	
blames	bleɪmz	
blamed	bleɪmd	
blaming	bleɪmɪŋ	
blameless	ˈbleɪmlɪs	
blank	blæŋk	
blanks	blæŋks	
blanker	ˈblæŋkə(r	ˈblæŋkə
blankest	ˈblæŋkɪst	
blankly	ˈblæŋklɪ	
blanket	ˈblæŋkɪt	
blankets	ˈblæŋkɪts	
bleed	bliˑd	
bleeds	bliˑdz	
bled	bled	
bleeding	ˈbliˑdɪŋ	
bless	bles	
blesses	ˈblesɪz	
blessed	blest	
blessing	ˈblesɪŋ	
blessings	ˈblesɪŋz	
blessed, *adj.*	ˈblesɪd	
BLEW *from* blow	bluˑ	
blind	blaɪnd	
blinder	ˈblaɪndə(r	blaɪndə
blindest	ˈblaɪndɪst	
blinds	ˈblaɪndz	
blinded	ˈblaɪndɪd	
blinding	ˈblaɪndɪŋ	
blindfold	ˈblaɪn*d*fould	
blindfolds	ˈblaɪn*d*fouldz	
blindfolded	ˈblaɪn*d*fouldɪd	
blindfolding	ˈblaɪn*d*fouldɪŋ	
blindly	ˈblaɪndlɪ	
blindness	ˈblaɪndnɪs	
blister	ˈblɪstə(r	ˈblɪstə
blisters	ˈblɪstəz	ˈblɪstəz
block	blɒk	blɑk
blocks	blɒks	blɑks

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blocked	blɒkt	blɑkt
blocking	ˈblɒkɪŋ	ˈblɑkɪŋ
blockade	blɒˈkeɪd	blɑˈkeɪd
blockades	blɒˈkeɪdz	blɑˈkeɪdz
blockaded	blɒˈkeɪdɪd	blɑˈkeɪdɪd
blockading	blɒˈkeɪdɪŋ	blɑˈkeɪdɪŋ
blood	blʌd	
bloom	bluːm	
blooms	bluːmz	
bloomed	bluːmd	
blooming	bluːmɪŋ	
blossom	ˈblɒsəm	ˈblɑsəm
blossoms	ˈblɒsəmz	ˈblɑsəmz
blossomed	ˈblɒsəmd	ˈblɑsəmd
blossoming	ˈblɒsəmɪŋ	ˈblɑsəmɪŋ
blot	blɒt	blɑt
blots	blɒts	blɑts
blotted	ˈblɒtɪd	ˈblɑtɪd
blotting	ˈblɒtɪŋ	ˈblɑtɪŋ
blotter	ˈblɒtə(r	ˈblɑtə
blotters	ˈblɒtəz	ˈblɑtəz
blotting-paper	ˈblɒtɪŋpeɪpə(r	ˈblɑtɪŋpeɪpə
blouse	blaʊz	
blouses	ˈblaʊzɪz	
blow	bloʊ	
blows	bloʊz	
blew	bluː	
blown	bloʊn	
blowing	ˈbloʊɪŋ	
blue	bluː	
blues	bluːz	
blueness	ˈbluːnɪs	
bluish	ˈbluːɪʃ	
blunder	ˈblʌndə(r	ˈblʌndə
blunders	ˈblʌndəz	ˈblʌndəz
blundered	ˈblʌndəd	ˈblʌndəd
blundering	ˈblʌndərɪŋ	
blunderer	ˈblʌndərə(r	ˈblʌndərə
blunderers	ˈblʌndərəz	ˈblʌndərəz
blunt	blʌnt	
blunter	ˈblʌntə(r	ˈblʌntə
bluntest	ˈblʌntɪst	
blunts	blʌnts	
blunted	ˈblʌntɪd	
blunting	ˈblʌntɪŋ	
bluntly	ˈblʌntlɪ	
bluntness	ˈblʌntnɪs	

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blush	blʌʃ	
blushes	ˈblʌʃɪz	
blushed	blʌʃt	
blushing	ˈblʌʃɪŋ	
boa	bɔə, ˈbouə	boə
boas	bɔəz, ˈbouəz	boəz
boar	bɔə(r	boə
boars	bɔəz	boəz
board	bɔˈd, bɔəd	boəd
boards	bɔˈdz, bɔədz	boədz
boarded	ˈbɔˈdɪd, bɔədɪd	ˈboədɪd
boarding	ˈbɔˈdɪŋ, bɔədɪŋ	ˈboədɪŋ
boarder	ˈbɔˈdə(r, ˈbɔədə(r	ˈboədə
boarders	ˈbɔˈdəz, ˈbɔədəz	ˈboədəz
boarding-house	ˈbɔˈdɪŋhaʊs ˈbɔədɪŋhaʊs	ˈboədɪŋhaʊs
boarding-houses	ˈbɔˈdɪŋhaʊzɪz ˈbɔədɪŋhaʊzɪz	ˈboədɪŋhaʊzɪz
boarding-school	ˈbɔˈdɪŋskuˈl ˈbɔədɪŋskuˈlz	ˈboədɪŋskuˈl
boarding-schools	ˈbɔˈdɪŋskuˈlz ˈbɔədɪŋskuˈlz	ˈboədɪŋskuˈlz
boast	boʊst	
boasts	boʊsts	
boasted	ˈboʊstɪd	
boasting	ˈboʊstɪŋ	
boaster	ˈboʊstə(r	ˈboʊstə
boasters	ˈboʊstəz	ˈboʊstəz
boastful	ˈboʊstfʊl	
boastfully	ˈboʊstfəlɪ, ˈboʊstfʊlɪ	
boat	boʊt	
boats	boʊts	
boating	ˈboʊtɪŋ	
boatman	ˈboʊtmən	
boatmen	ˈboʊtmən	
bodily	ˈbɒdɪlɪ	ˈbɑdɪlɪ
body	ˈbɒdɪ	ˈbɑdɪ
bodies	ˈbɒdɪz	ˈbɑdɪz
Bohemia	boʊˈhiˈmjə, boʊˈhiˈmɪə	
Bohemian	boʊˈhiˈmjən boʊˈhiˈmɪən	
Bohemians	boʊˈhiˈmjənz boʊˈhiˈmɪənz	
boil	bɔɪl	
boils	bɔɪlz	
boiled	bɔɪld	

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boiling	ˈbɔɪlɪŋ	
boiler	ˈbɔɪlə(r	ˈbɔɪlə
boilers	ˈbɔɪləz	ˈbɔɪləz
boisterous	ˈbɔɪstərəs	
bold	bəʊld	
bolder	ˈbəʊldə(r	ˈbəʊldə
boldest	ˈbəʊldɪst	
boldly	ˈbəʊldlɪ	
boldness	ˈbəʊldnɪs	
Bolivia	†bəˈlɪvɪə	
Bolivian	†bəˈlɪvɪən	
Bolivians	†bəˈlɪvɪənz	
bolster	ˈbəʊlstə(r	ˈbəʊlstə
bolsters	ˈbəʊlstəz	ˈbəʊlstəz
bolt	bəʊlt	
bolts	bəʊlts	
bolted	ˈbəʊltɪd	
bolting	ˈbəʊltɪŋ	
bomb	bɒm	bɒm, bʌm
bombs	bɒmz	bɒmz, bʌmz
bombard	bɒmˈbɑːd	bɒmˈbɑəd
bombards	bɒmˈbɑːdz	bɒmˈbɑədz
bombarded	bɒmˈbɑːdɪd	bɒmˈbɑədɪd
bombarding	bɒmˈbɑːdɪŋ	bɒmˈbɑədɪŋ
bombardment	bɒmˈbɑːdmənt	bɒmˈbɑədmənt
bombardments	bɒmˈbɑːdmənts	bɒmˈbɑədmənts
Bombay	ˈbɒmˈbeɪ	ˈbɑmˈbeɪ
bond	bɒnd	bɑnd
bonds	bɒndz	bɑndz
bone	bəʊn	
bones	bəʊnz	
bonfire	ˈbɒnfaɪə(r	ˈbɑnfaɪə
bonfires	ˈbɒnfaɪəz	ˈbɑnfaɪəz
bonnet	ˈbɒnɪt	ˈbɑnɪt
bonnets	ˈbɒnɪts	ˈbɑnɪts
book	bʊk	
books	bʊks	
booked	bʊkt	
booking	ˈbʊkɪŋ	
bookbinder	ˈbʊkbaɪndə(r	ˈbʊkbaɪndə
bookbinders	ˈbʊkbaɪndəz	ˈbʊkbaɪndəz
bookbinding	ˈbʊkbaɪndɪŋ	
bookcase	ˈbʊkkeɪs	
bookcases	ˈbʊkkeɪsɪz	
book-keeper	ˈbʊkkiːpə(r	ˈbʊkkiːpə

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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book-keepers	ˈbʊkkiˈpəz	ˈbʊkkiˈpəz
book-keeping	ˈbʊkkiˈpɪŋ	
book-seller	ˈbʊksɛlə(r	ˈbʊksɛlə
book-sellers	ˈbʊksɛləz	ˈbʊksɛləz
book-shelf	ˈbʊkʃɛlf	
book-shelves	ˈbʊkʃɛlvz	
book-shop	ˈbʊkʃɒp	ˈbʊkʃɑp
book-shops	ˈbʊkʃɒps	ˈbʊkʃɑps
book-stall	ˈbʊkstɔˈl	
book-stalls	ˈbʊkstɔˈlz	
boot	bʊˈt	
boots	bʊˈts	
border	ˈbɔˈdə(r	ˈbɔədə
borders	ˈbɔˈdəz	ˈbɔədəz
bordered	ˈbɔˈdəd	ˈbɔədəd
bordering	ˈbɔˈdərɪŋ	ˈbɔədərɪŋ
bore	bɔˈ(r, bɔə(r	bɔə
bores	bɔˈz, bɔəz	bɔəz
bored	bɔˈd, bɔəd	bɔəd
boring	ˈbɔˈrɪŋ, bɔərɪŋ	ˈbɔˈrɪŋ
BORN *from* bear, *bring forth*	bɔˈn	bɔən
BORNE *from* bear, *carry*	bɔˈn, bɔən	bɔən
borough	ˈbʌrə	ˈbʌroʊ
boroughs	ˈbʌrəz	ˈbʌroʊz
borrow	ˈbɒroʊ	ˈbɑroʊ
borrows	ˈbɒroʊz	ˈbɑroʊz
borrowed	ˈbɒroʊd	ˈbɑroʊd
borrowing	ˈbɒroʊɪŋ	ˈbɑroʊɪŋ
Boston	ˈbɒstən	ˈbɑstən
botanical	bəˈtænɪkəl	
botanist	ˈbɒtənɪst	ˈbɑtənɪst
botanists	ˈbɒtənɪsts	ˈbɑtənɪsts
botany	ˈbɒtənɪ	ˈbɑtənɪ
both	boʊθ	
bother	ˈbɒðə(r	ˈbɑðə
bothers	ˈbɒðəz	ˈbɑðəz
bothered	ˈbɒðəd	ˈbɑðəd
bothering	ˈbɒðərɪŋ	ˈbɑðərɪŋ
bottle	ˈbɒtl̩	ˈbɑtl̩
bottles	ˈbɒtl̩z	ˈbɑtl̩z
bottled	ˈbɒtl̩d	ˈbɑtl̩d
bottling	ˈbɒtlɪŋ, ˈbɒtl̩ɪŋ	ˈbɑtlɪŋ, ˈbɑtl̩ɪŋ
bottom	ˈbɒtəm	ˈbɑtəm
bottoms	ˈbɒtəmz	ˈbɑtəmz
bough	baʊ	

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boughs	baʊz	
BOUGHT *from* buy	bɔˈt	
bounce	baʊns	
bounces	ˈbaʊnsɪz	
bounced	baʊnst	
bouncing	ˈbaʊnsɪŋ	
bound	baʊnd	
bounds	baʊndz	
BOUND *from* bind	baʊnd	
boundary	ˈbaʊndərɪ	
boundaries	ˈbaʊndərɪz	
bow, *for shooting, etc., knot*	boʊ	
bows	boʊz	
bow, *bend*	baʊ	
bows	baʊz	
bowed	baʊd	
bowing	baʊɪŋ	
bowl	boʊl	
bowls	boʊlz	
bowled	boʊld	
bowling	ˈboʊlɪŋ	
box	bɒks	bɑks
boxes	ˈbɒksɪz	ˈbɑksɪz
boxed	bɒkst	bɑkst
boxing	ˈbɒksɪŋ	ˈbɑksɪŋ
boxer	ˈbɒksə(r	ˈbɑksə
boxers	ˈbɒksəz	ˈbɑksəz
boy	bɔɪ	
boys	bɔɪz	
boyhood	ˈbɔɪhʊd	
boyish	ˈbɔɪɪʃ	
brace	breɪs	
braces	ˈbreɪsɪz	
bracelet	ˈbreɪslɪt	
bracelets	ˈbreɪslɪts	
bracket	ˈbrækɪt	
brackets	ˈbrækɪts	
brag	bræg	
brags	brægz	
bragged	brægd	
bragging	ˈbrægɪŋ	
braid	breɪd	
brain	breɪn	
brains	breɪnz	
brake	breɪk	
brakes	breɪks	

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branch	brɑˈntʃ	braˈntʃ
branches	ˈbrɑˈntʃɪz	ˈbraˈntʃɪz
branched	brɑˈntʃt	braˈntʃt
branching	ˈbrɑˈntʃɪŋ	ˈbraˈntʃɪŋ
brand	brænd	
brands	brændz	
brandy	ˈbrændɪ	
brass	brɑˈs	braˈs
brave	breɪv	
braver	ˈbreɪvə(r	ˈbreɪvə
bravest	ˈbreɪvɪst	
bravely	ˈbreɪvlɪ	
bravery	ˈbreɪvərɪ	
Brazil	brəˈzɪl, brɪˈzɪl	
Brazilian	brəˈzɪljən, brɪˈzɪljən	
Brazilians	brəˈzɪljənz	
	brɪˈzɪljənz	
bread	brɛd	
breadth	brɛdθ	
break	breɪk	
breaks	breɪks	
broke	broʊk	
broken	ˈbroʊkən	
breaking	ˈbreɪkɪŋ	
breakable	ˈbreɪkəb|	
breakfast	ˈbrɛkfəst	
breakfasts	ˈbrɛkfəsts	
breakfasted	ˈbrɛkfəstɪd	
breakfasting	ˈbrɛkfəstɪŋ	
breast	brɛst	
breasts	brɛsts	
breath	brɛθ	
breaths	brɛθs	
breathe	briˈð	
breathes	briˈðz	
breathed	briˈðd	
breathing	ˈbriˈðɪŋ	
breathless	ˈbrɛθlɪs	
breathlessly	ˈbrɛθlɪslɪ	
breed	briˈd	
breeds	briˈdz	
bred	brɛd	
breeding	briˈdɪŋ	
breeze	briˈz	
breezes	briˈzɪz	
brevity	ˈbrɛvɪtɪ	
brew	bruˈ	

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brews	bru·z	
brewed	bru·d	
brewing	ˈbru·ɪŋ	
brewer	ˈbru·ə(r	ˈbru·ə
brewers	ˈbru·əz	ˈbru·əz
brewery	ˈbru·ərɪ, ˈbruərɪ	
breweries	ˈbru·ərɪz, ˈbruərɪz	
bribe	braɪb	
bribes	braɪbz	
bribed	braɪbd	
bribing	ˈbraɪbɪŋ	
brick	brɪk	
bricks	brɪks	
bricklayer	ˈbrɪkleɪə(r	ˈbrɪkleɪə
bricklayers	ˈbrɪkleɪəz	ˈbrɪkleɪəz
bride	braɪd	
brides	braɪdz	
bridegroom	ˈbraɪdgrum ˈbraɪdgrʊm	
bridegrooms	ˈbraɪdgrumz ˈbraɪdgrʊmz	
bridge	brɪʤ	
bridges	brɪʤɪz	
brief	bri·f	
briefer	ˈbri·fə(r	ˈbri·fə
briefest	ˈbri·fɪst	
briefly	ˈbri·flɪ	
brigand	ˈbrɪgənd	
brigands	ˈbrɪgəndz	
bright	braɪt	
brighter	ˈbraɪtə(r	ˈbraɪtə
brightest	ˈbraɪtɪst	
brightly	ˈbraɪtlɪ	
brightness	ˈbraɪtnɪs	
brilliance	ˈbrɪljəns	
brilliant	ˈbrɪljənt	
brilliantly	ˈbrɪljəntlɪ	
brim	brɪm	
brims	brɪmz	
bring	brɪŋ	
brings	brɪŋz	
brought	brɔ·t	
bringing	ˈbrɪŋɪŋ	
brink	brɪŋk	
brinks	brɪŋks	
brisk	brɪsk	
briskly	ˈbrɪsklɪ	

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Britain	ˈbrɪtən	
British	ˈbrɪtɪʃ	
brittle	ˈbrɪtl̩	
brittler	ˈbrɪtl̩ə(r	ˈbrɪtlə
brittlest	ˈbrɪtl̩ɪst	
broad	brɔˑd	
broader	ˈbrɔˑdə(r	ˈbrɔˑdə
broadest	ˈbrɔˑdɪst	
broadly	ˈbrɔˑdlɪ	
broadcast	ˈbrɔˑdkɑst	ˈbrɔˑdkast
broadcasts	ˈbrɔˑdkɑsts	ˈbrɔˑdkasts
broadcasting	ˈbrɔˑdkɑstɪŋ	ˈbrɔˑdkastɪŋ
broaden	ˈbrɔˑdn̩	
broadens	ˈbrɔˑdn̩z	
broadened	ˈbrɔˑdn̩d	
broadening	ˈbrɔˑdn̩ɪŋ	
BROKE *from* break	brouk	
bronchitis	brɒnˈkaɪtɪs	brɑnˈkaɪtɪs
	brɒŋˈkaɪtɪs	
bronze	brɒnz	brɑnz
bronzes	ˈbrɒnzɪz	ˈbrɑnzɪz
brooch	broutʃ	
brooches	ˈbroutʃɪz	
brook	bruk	
brooks	bruks	
broom	bruˑm, brum	
brooms	bruˑmz, brumz	
broth	brɔθ, brɒθ	
broths	brɔθs, brɔðz	
brother	ˈbrʌðə(r	ˈbrʌðə
brothers	ˈbrʌðəz	ˈbrʌðəz
brotherhood	ˈbrʌðəhʊd	ˈbrʌðəhʊd
brotherhoods	ˈbrʌðəhʊdz	ˈbrʌðəhʊdz
brother-in-law	ˈbrʌðərɪnlɔ	
brothers-in-law	ˈbrʌðəzɪnlɔ	ˈbrʌðəzɪnlɔ
brotherly	ˈbrʌðəlɪ	ˈbrʌðəlɪ
BROUGHT *from* bring	brɔˑt	
brown	braʊn	
browner	ˈbraʊnə(r	ˈbraʊnə
brownest	ˈbraʊnɪst	
bruise	bruˑz	
bruises	ˈbruˑzɪz	
bruised	bruˑzd	
bruising	ˈbruˑzɪŋ	
brush	brʌʃ	
brushes	ˈbrʌʃɪz	
brushed	brʌʃt	
brushing	ˈbrʌʃɪŋ	

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Brussels	ˈbrʌs|z	
brutal	ˈbruˑt|	
brutally	ˈbruˑtəlɪ	
brutality	bruˑˈtælɪtɪ	
brutalities	bruˑˈtælɪtɪz	
brute	bruˑt	
brutes	bruˑts	
bubble	ˈbʌb|	
bubbles	ˈbʌb|z	
bucket	ˈbʌkɪt	
buckets	ˈbʌkɪts	
bucketful	ˈbʌkɪtful	
bucketfuls	ˈbʌkɪtfulz	
buckle	ˈbʌk|	
buckles	ˈbʌk|z	
buckled	ˈbʌk|d	
buckling	ˈbʌklɪŋ, ˈbʌk|ɪŋ	
bud	bʌd	
buds	bʌdz	
budded	ˈbʌdɪd	
budding	ˈbʌdɪŋ	
budget	ˈbʌʤɪt	
budgets	ˈbʌʤɪts	
bug	bʌg	
bugs	bʌgz	
bugle	ˈbjuˑg|	
bugles	ˈbjuˑg|z	
bugler	ˈbjuˑgl(r	ˈbjuˑgl(r
buglers	ˈbjuˑgl(rz	ˈbjuˑgl(rz
build	bɪld	
builds	bɪldz	
built	bɪlt	
building	ˈbɪldɪŋ	
builder	ˈbɪldə(r	ˈbɪldə(r
builders	ˈbɪldəz	ˈbɪldəz
bulb	bʌlb	
bulbs	bʌlbz	
bulge	bʌlʤ	
bulges	ˈbʌlʤɪz	
bulged	bʌlʤd	
bulging	ˈbʌlʤɪŋ	
bulky	ˈbʌlkɪ	
bulkier	ˈbʌlkɪə(r	ˈbʌlkɪə(r
bulkiest	ˈbʌlkɪst	
bull	bʊl	
bulls	bʊlz	
bull-dog	ˈbʊldɒg	

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bull-dogs	ˈbʊldɒgz	
bullet	ˈbʊlɪt	
bullets	ˈbʊlɪts	
bulletin	ˈbʊlɪtɪn	ˈbʊlɪtn̩
bulletins	ˈbʊlɪtɪnz	ˈbʊlɪtn̩z
bully	ˈbʊlɪ	
bullies	ˈbʊlɪz	
bullied	ˈbʊlɪd	
bullying	ˈbʊlɪŋ	
bump	bʌmp	
bumps	bʌmps	
bumped	bʌmpt	
bumping	ˈbʌmpɪŋ	
bun	bʌn	
buns	bʌnz	
bunch	bʌntʃ	
bunches	ˈbʌntʃɪz	
bundle	ˈbʌnd‖	
bundles	ˈbʌnd‖z	
bungalow	ˈbʌŋgəlou	
bungalows	ˈbʌŋgəlouz	
buoy	bɔɪ	
buoys	bɔɪz	
burden	ˈbɜ·dn̩	ˈbəədn̩
burdens	ˈbɜ·dn̩z	ˈbəədn̩z
burdened	ˈbɜ·dn̩d	ˈbəədn̩d
burdening	ˈbɜ·dn̩ɪŋ	ˈbəədn̩ɪŋ
bureau	bjʊəˈrou, ˈbjʊərou	ˈbjʊrou
bureaus	bjʊəˈrouz ˈbjʊərouz	ˈbjʊrouz
burglar	ˈbɜ·glə(r	ˈbəəglə
burglars	ˈbɜ·gləz	ˈbəəgləz
burglary	ˈbɜ·glərɪ	ˈbəəglərɪ
burglaries	ˈbɜ·glərɪz	ˈbəəglərɪz
burial	ˈbɛrɪəl	
burials	ˈbɛrɪəlz	
burn	bɜ·n	bəən
burns	bɜ·nz	bəənz
burned	bɜ·nt	bəənt
burnt	bɜ·nt	bəənt
burning	ˈbɜ·nɪŋ	ˈbəənɪŋ
burner	ˈbɜ·nə(r	ˈbəənə
burners	ˈbɜ·nəz	ˈbəənəz
burst	bɜ·st	bəəst
bursts	bɜ·sts	bəəsts
bursting	ˈbɜ·stɪŋ	ˈbəəstɪŋ
bury	ˈbɛrɪ	

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buries	ˈbɛrɪz	
buried	ˈbɛrɪd	
burying	ˈbɛrɪŋ	
bus	bʌs	
buses	bʌsɪz	
bush	bʊʃ	
bushes	bʊʃɪz	
bushel	ˈbʊʃəl	
bushels	ˈbʊʃəlz	
business	ˈbɪznɪs, ˈbɪzn̩ɪs	
businesses	ˈbɪznɪsɪz	
bustle	ˈbʌs̩l	
bustles	ˈbʌs̩lz	
bustled	ˈbʌs̩ld	
bustling	ˈbʌs̩lɪŋ, ˈbʌslɪŋ	
busy	ˈbɪzɪ	
busier	ˈbɪzɪə(r	ˈbɪzɪə
busiest	ˈbɪzɪɪst	
busily	ˈbɪzɪlɪ	
but	bʌt *s.f.*, bət *w.f.*	
butcher	ˈbʊtʃə(r	ˈbʊtʃə
butchers	ˈbʊtʃəz	ˈbʊtʃəz
butler	ˈbʌtlə(r	ˈbʌtlə
butlers	ˈbʌtləz	ˈbʌtləz
butterfly	ˈbʌtəflaɪ	
butterflies	ˈbʌtəflaɪz	
button	ˈbʌtn̩	
buttons	ˈbʌtn̩z	
buttoned	ˈbʌtn̩d	
buttoning	ˈbʌtn̩ɪŋ	
buy	baɪ	
buys	baɪz	
bought	bɔˈt	
buying	baɪɪŋ	
buyer	ˈbaɪə(r	ˈbaɪə
buyers	ˈbaɪəz	ˈbaɪəz
by	baɪ, *normal form*	
	bɪ, bə, *weak forms*	
by-and-by	ˈbaɪənd′baɪ	
by-product	ˈbaɪprɒdəkt	ˈbaɪprɑdəkt
	ˈbaɪprɒdʌkt	
by-products	ˈbaɪprɒdəkts	ˈbaɪprɑdəkts
	ˈbaɪprɒdʌkts	
by-road	ˈbaɪroʊd	
by-roads	ˈbaɪroʊdz	
by-the-by(e)	ˈbaɪðə′baɪ	

C

C	siˈ	
C's	siˈz	
cab	kæb	
cabs	kæbz	
cabbage	ˈkæbɪʤ	
cabbages	ˈkæbɪʤɪz	
cabin	ˈkæbɪn	
cabins	ˈkæbɪnz	
cabinet	ˈkæbɪnɪt	ˈkæbɪnət
cabinets	ˈkæbɪnɪts	ˈkæbɪnəts
cable	ˈkeɪb|	
cables	ˈkeɪb|z	
cabled	ˈkeɪb|d	
cabling	ˈkeɪblɪŋ, ˈkeɪb|ɪŋ	
cafe	ˈkæfeɪ, ˈkæfɪ	kæˈfeɪ
cafes	ˈkæfeɪz, ˈkæfɪz	kæˈfeɪz
cage	keɪʤ	
cages	ˈkeɪʤɪz	
caged	keɪʤd	
caging	ˈkeɪʤɪŋ	
Cairo	ˈkaɪərou	ˈkaɪrou
cake	keɪk	
cakes	keɪks	
calamity	kəˈlæmɪtɪ	
calamities	kəˈlæmɪtɪz	
calculable	ˈkælkjuləb|	
calculate	ˈkælkjuleɪt	
	ˈkælkjəleɪt	
calculates	ˈkælkjuleɪts	
	ˈkælkjəleɪts	
calculated	ˈkælkjuleɪtɪd	
	ˈkælkjəleɪtɪd	
calculating	ˈkælkjuleɪtɪŋ	
	ˈkælkjəleɪtɪŋ	
calculation	kælkjuˈleɪʃən	
	kælkjəˈleɪʃən	
calculations	kælkjuˈleɪʃənz	
	kælkjəˈleɪʃənz	
Calcutta	kælˈkʌtə	
calendar	ˈkælɪndə(r	ˈkælɪndə
calendars	ˈkælɪndəz	ˈkælɪndəz
calf	kɑˈf	kaˈf
calves	kɑˈvz	kaˈvz
calm	kɑˈm	
calmer	ˈkɑˈmə(r	ˈkɑˈmə

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calmest	ˈkɑːmɪst	
calms	kɑːmz	
calmed	kɑːmd	
calming	ˈkɑːmɪŋ	
calmly	ˈkɑːmlɪ	
calmness	ˈkɑːmnɪs	
CAME (*from* come)	keɪm	
camel	ˈkæməl	
camels	ˈkæməlz	
camera	ˈkæmərə	
cameras	ˈkæmərəz	
camp	kæmp	
camps	kæmps	
camped	kæmpt	
camping	ˈkæmpɪŋ	
campaign	kæmˈpeɪn	
campaigns	kæmˈpeɪnz	
can, *noun*	kæn	
cans	kænz	
can, *verb*	kæn *s.f.*, kən *w.f.*	
could	kʊd *s.f.*, kəd *w.f.*	
Canada	ˈkænədə	
Canadian	kəˈneɪdɪən, kəˈneɪdjən	
Canadians	kəˈneɪdɪənz, kəˈneɪdjənz	
canal	kəˈnæl	
canals	kəˈnælz	
canary	kəˈnɛərɪ	
canaries	kəˈnɛərɪz	
cancel	ˈkænsəl	
cancels	ˈkænsəlz	
cancelled	ˈkænsəld	
cancelling	ˈkænsəlɪŋ	
cancer	ˈkænsə(r	ˈkænsə
cancers	ˈkænsəz	ˈkænsəz
candid	ˈkændɪd	
candidly	ˈkændɪdlɪ	
candidate	ˈkændɪdɪt, ˈkændɪdeɪt	
candidates	ˈkændɪdɪts ˈkændɪdeɪts	
candle	ˈkænd|l	
candles	ˈkænd|lz	
candle-stick	ˈkænd|stɪk	
candle-sticks	ˈkænd|stɪks	
candor (*Amer.*)		
candour	ˈkændə(r	ˈkændə
candy	ˈkændɪ	

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cane	keɪn	
canes	keɪnz	
cannibal	ˈkænɪbəl	
cannibals	ˈkænɪbəlz	
cannon	ˈkænən	
cannons	ˈkænənz	
cannot	ˈkænɒt	ˈkænɑt
	(*contracted* kɑˑnt)	(*contr.* kaˑnt, kænt
canoe	kəˈnuˑ	
canoes	kəˈnuˑz	
canon	ˈkænjən	
canons	ˈkænjənz	
can't	kɑˑnt	kaˑnt, kænt
Canton	ˈkænˈtɒn	
canvas	ˈkænvəs	
canvases	kænvəsɪz	
cap	kæp	
caps	kæps	
capability	keɪpəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
capabilities	keɪpəˈbɪlɪtɪz	
capable	ˈkeɪpəb|	
capably	ˈkeɪpəblɪ	
capacious	kəˈpeɪʃəs	
capacity	kəˈpæsɪtɪ	
capacities	kəˈpæsɪtɪz	
cape	keɪp	
capes	keɪps	
Capetown	ˈkeɪpˈtaʊn	
capital	ˈkæpɪt|	
capitals	ˈkæpɪt|z	
capitalism	ˈkæpɪtəlɪzɪm	
capitalist	ˈkæpɪtəlɪst	
capitalists	ˈkæpɪtəlɪsts	
capricious	kəˈprɪʃəs	
capsize	kæpˈsaɪz	
capsizes	kæpˈsaɪzɪz	
capsized	kæpˈsaɪzd	
capsizing	kæpˈsaɪzɪŋ	
captain	ˈkæptɪn	
captains	ˈkæptɪnz	
captive	ˈkæptɪv	
captives	ˈkæptɪvz	
captivity	kæpˈtɪvɪtɪ	
capture	ˈkæptʃə(r	ˈkæptʃə
captures	ˈkæptʃəz	ˈkæptʃəz
captured	ˈkæptʃəd	ˈkæptʃəd
capturing	ˈkæptʃərɪŋ	

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car	kɑˑ(r	kɑə
cars	kɑˑz	kɑəz
caravan	ˈkærəˈvæn	
caravans	ˈkærəˈvænz	
carbon	ˈkɑˑbən	ˈkɑəbən
carbons	ˈkɑˑbənz	ˈkɑəbənz
card	kɑˑd	kɑəd
cards	kɑˑdz	kɑədz
card-board	ˈkɑˑdbɔˑd	ˈkɑədbɔəd
cardinal	ˈkɑˑdɪnl̩	ˈkɑədɪnl̩
care	kɛə(r	kɛə
cares	kɛəz	kɛəz
cared	kɛəd	kɛəd
caring	ˈkɛərɪŋ	ˈkɛˑrɪŋ
career	kəˈrɪə(r	kəˈrɪə
careers	kəˈrɪəz	kəˈrɪəz
careful	ˈkɛəfʊl	ˈkɛəfʊl
carefully	ˈkɛəfəlɪ, ˈkɛəfʊlɪ	ˈkɛəfəlɪ, kɛəfʊlɪ
careless	ˈkɛəlɪs	ˈkɛəlɪs
carelessly	ˈkɛəlɪslɪ	ˈkɛəlɪslɪ
carelessness	ˈkɛəlɪsnɪs	ˈkɛəlɪsnɪs
caretaker	ˈkɛəteɪkə(r	ˈkɛəteɪkə
caretakers	ˈkɛəteɪkəz	ˈkɛəteɪkəz
cargo	ˈkɑˑgoʊ	ˈkɑəgo
cargoes	ˈkɑˑgoʊz	ˈkɑəgoz
caricature	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊə(r	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊə
caricatures	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊəz	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊəz
caricatured	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊəd	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊəd
caricaturing	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊərɪŋ	ˈkærɪkəˈtjʊˑrɪŋ
carnation	kɑˈneɪʃən	kɑəˈneɪʃən
carnations	kɑˈneɪʃənz	kɑəˈneɪʃənz
carnival	ˈkɑˑnɪvəl	ˈkɑənɪvəl
carnivals	ˈkɑˑnɪvəlz	ˈkɑənɪvəlz
carp	kɑˑp	kɑəp
carps	kɑˑps	kɑəps
carpenter	ˈkɑˑpəntə(r ˈkɑˑpɪntə(r	ˈkɑəpəntə
carpenters	ˈkɑˑpəntəz ˈkɑˑpɪntəz	ˈkɑəpəntəz
carpentering	ˈkɑˑpəntərɪŋ ˈkɑˑpɪntərɪŋ	ˈkɑəpəntərɪŋ
carpet	ˈkɑˑpɪt	ˈkɑəpɪt
carpets	ˈkɑˑpɪts	ˈkɑəpɪts
carriage	ˈkærɪʤ	
carriages	ˈkærɪʤɪz	
carrot	ˈkærət	
carrots	ˈkærəts	

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carry	ˈkærɪ	
carries	ˈkærɪz	
carried	ˈkærɪd	
carrying	ˈkærɪɪŋ	
carrier	ˈkærɪə(r	ˈkærɪə
carriers	ˈkærɪəz	ˈkærɪəz
cart	kɑˈt	kɑət
carts	kɑˈts	kɑəts
carted	ˈkɑˈtɪd	ˈkɑətɪd
carting	kɑˈtɪŋ	ˈkɑətɪŋ
carter	ˈkɑˈtə(r	ˈkɑətə
carters	ˈkɑˈtəz	ˈkɑətəz
carve	kɑˈv	kɑəv
carves	kɑˈvz	kɑəvz
carved	kɑˈvd	kɑəvd
carving	ˈkɑˈvɪŋ	ˈkɑəvɪŋ
case	keɪs	
cases	ˈkeɪsɪz	
cash	kæʃ	
cashes	ˈkæʃɪz	
cashed	kæʃt	
cashing	ˈkæʃɪŋ	
cashier	kæˈʃɪə(r	kæˈʃɪə
cashiers	kæˈʃɪəz	kæˈʃɪəz
cask	kɑˈsk	kɑˈsk
casks	kɑˈsks	kɑˈsks
cast	kɑˈst	kɑˈst
casts	kɑˈsts	kɑˈsts
casting	ˈkɑˈstɪŋ	ˈkɑˈstɪŋ
castle	ˈkɑˈsl̩	ˈkɑˈsl̩, ˈkæsl̩
castles	ˈkɑˈsl̩z	ˈkɑˈsl̩z, ˈkæsl̩z
casual	ˈkæʒjʊəl	
casually	ˈkæʒjʊəlɪ	
cat	kæt	
cats	kæts	
catalog (*Amer.*)		
catalogue	ˈkætəlɒg	ˈkætəlɑg
catalogs (*Amer.*)		
catalogues	ˈkætəlɒgz	ˈkætəlɑgz
catastrophe	kəˈtæstrəfɪ	
catastrophes	kəˈtæstrəfɪz	
catch	kætʃ	
catches	ˈkætʃɪz	
caught	kɔˈt	
catching	ˈkætʃɪŋ	
categoric	kætɪˈgɒrɪk	
categorical	kætɪˈgɒrɪkəl	

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categorically	kæti'gɒrɪkəli	
category	'kætɪgərɪ	'kætɪgorɪ
categories	'kætɪgərɪz	'kætɪgorɪz
cathedral	kə'θi·drəl	
cathedrals	kə'θi·drəlz	
Catholic	'kæθəlɪk	
Catholics	'kæθəlɪks	
catholicism	kə'θɒlɪsɪzm̩	kə'θɑlɪsɪzm̩
cattle	'kætl̩	
CAUGHT *from* catch	kɔ·t	
cause	kɔ·z	
causes	'kɔ·zɪz	
caused	kɔ·zd	
causing	'kɔ·zɪŋ	
caution	'kɔ·ʃən	
cautious	'kɔ·ʃəs	
cautiously	'kɔ·ʃəslɪ	
cavalry	'kævəlrɪ	
cave	keɪv	
caves	keɪvz	
cavern	'kævən, 'kæv̩n	'kævən
caverns	'kævənz, 'kæv̩nz	'kævənz
cavity	'kævɪtɪ	
cavities	'kævɪtɪz	
cease	si·s	
ceases	'si·sɪz	
ceased	si·st	
ceasing	'si·sɪŋ	
ceiling	'si·lɪŋ	
ceilings	'si·lɪŋz	
celebrate	'sɛlɪbreɪt	
celebrates	'sɛlɪbreɪts	
celebrated	'sɛlɪbreɪtɪd	
celebrating	'sɛlɪbreɪtɪŋ	
celebration	sɛlɪ'breɪʃən	
celebrations	sɛlɪ'breɪʃənz	
cell	sɛl	
cells	sɛlz	
cellar	'sɛlə(r	'sɛlə
cellars	'sɛləz	'sɛləz
cement	sɪ'mɛnt	
cements	sɪ'mɛnts	
cemented	sɪ'mɛntɪd	
cementing	sɪ'mɛntɪŋ	
cent	sɛnt	
cents	sɛnts	
centigrade	'sɛntɪgreɪd	

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centimeter (*Amer.*)		
centimetre	ˈsɛntɪmiːtə(r	ˈsɛntɪmiːtə
centimeters (*Amer.*)		
centimetres	ˈsɛntɪmiːtəz	ˈsɛntɪmiːtəz
central	ˈsɛntrəl	
centrally	ˈsɛntrəlɪ	
center (*Amer.*)		
centre	ˈsɛntə(r	ˈsɛntə
centres	ˈsɛntəz	sɛntəz
century	ˈsɛntʃurɪ, ˈsɛntjəri	
centuries	ˈsɛntʃurɪz ˈsɛntjərɪz	
ceremonial	sɛrɪˈmounjəl sɛrɪˈmounɪəl	
ceremonious	sɛriˈmounjəs sɛrɪˈmounɪəs	
ceremony	ˈsɛrɪmənɪ	
ceremonies	ˈsɛrɪmənɪz	
certain	ˈsəːtn̩	ˈsəətn̩
certainly	ˈsəːtn̩lɪ	ˈsəətn̩lɪ
certainty	ˈsəːtn̩tɪ	ˈsəətn̩tɪ
certificate	səˈtɪfɪkɪt	səəˈtɪfɪkɪt
certificates	səˈtɪfɪkɪts	səəˈtɪfɪkɪts
Ceylon	sɪˈlɒn	
chain	tʃeɪn	
chains	tʃeɪnz	
chained	tʃeɪnd	
chaining	ˈtʃeɪnɪŋ	
chair	tʃɛə(r	tʃɛə
chairs	tʃɛəz	tʃɛəz
chairman	ˈtʃɛəmən	ˈtʃɛəmən
chairmen	ˈtʃɛəmən	ˈtʃɛəmən
chalk	tʃɔːk	
challenge	ˈtʃælənʤ, ˈtʃælɪnʤ	
challenges	ˈtʃælənʤɪz ˈtʃælɪnʤɪz	
challenged	ˈtʃælənʤd ˈtʃælɪnʤd	
challenging	ˈtʃælənʤɪŋ ˈtʃælɪnʤɪŋ	
champion	ˈtʃæmpɪən	
champions	ˈtʃæmpɪənz	
chance	tʃɑːns	tʃaːns
chances	ˈtʃɑːnsɪz	ˈtʃaːnsɪz
change	tʃeɪnʤ	
changes	ˈtʃeɪnʤɪz	
changed	tʃeɪnʤd	

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changing	ˈtʃeɪnʤɪŋ	
changeable	ˈtʃeɪnʤəbl̩	
channel	ˈtʃænl̩	
channels	ˈtʃænl̩z	
chap	tʃæp	
chaps	tʃæps	
chapel	ˈtʃæpl̩	
chapels	ˈtʃæpl̩z	
chapter	ˈtʃæptə(r	ˈtʃæptə
chapters	ˈtʃæptəz	ˈtʃæptəz
character	ˈkærɪktə(r	ˈkærɪktə
characters	ˈkærɪktəz	ˈkærɪktəz
characteristic	kærɪktəˈrɪstɪk	
characteristics	kærɪktəˈrɪstɪks	
charcoal	ˈtʃɑˑkoʊl	ˈtʃɑəkoʊl
charge	tʃɑˑʤ	tʃɑəʤ
charges	ˈtʃɑˑʤɪz	ˈtʃɑəʤɪz
charged	ˈtʃɑˑʤd	ˈtʃɑəʤd
charging	ˈtʃɑˑʤɪŋ	ˈtʃɑəʤɪŋ
charitable	tʃærɪtəbl̩	
charitably	tʃærɪtəblɪ	
charity	tʃærɪtɪ	
charities	tʃærɪtɪz	
Charles	tʃɑˑlz	tʃɑəlz
charm	tʃɑˑm	tʃɑəm
charms	tʃɑˑmz	tʃɑəmz
charmed	tʃɑˑmd	tʃɑəmd
charming	ˈtʃɑˑmɪŋ	ˈtʃɑəmɪŋ
chart	tʃɑˑt	tʃɑət
charts	tʃɑˑts	tʃɑəts
chase	tʃeɪs	
chases	ˈtʃeɪsɪz	
chased	tʃeɪst	
chasing	ˈtʃeɪsɪŋ	
chat	tʃæt	
chats	tʃæts	
chatted	ˈtʃætɪd	
chatting	ˈtʃætɪŋ	
chauffeur	ʃoʊˈfɜˑ(r, ˈʃoʊfə(r	ʃoʊˈfɜə, ˈʃoʊfə
chauffeurs	ʃoʊˈfɜˑz, ˈʃoʊfəz	ʃoʊˈfɜəz, ˈʃoʊfəz
cheap	tʃiˑp	
cheaper	ˈtʃiˑpə(r	ˈtʃiˑpə
cheapest	ˈtʃiˑpɪst	
cheaply	ˈtʃiˑplɪ	
cheat	tʃiˑt	
cheats	tʃiˑts	
cheated	ˈtʃiˑtɪd	

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cheating	ˈʧiːtɪŋ	
check	ʧɛk	
checks	ʧɛks	
checked	ʧɛkt	
checking	ʧɛkɪŋ	
cheek	ʧiːk	
cheeks	ʧiːks	
cheer	ʧɪə(r	ʧɪə
cheers	ʧɪəz	ʧɪəz
cheered	ʧɪəd	ʧɪəd
cheering	ˈʧɪərɪŋ	ˈʧɪːrɪŋ
cheerful	ˈʧɪəfʊl	ˈʧɪəfʊl
cheerfully	ˈʧɪəfəlɪ, ˈʧɪəfʊlɪ	ˈʧɪəfəlɪ, ˈʧɪəfʊlɪ
cheese	ʧiːz	
chemical	ˈkɛmɪkəl	
chemicals	ˈkɛmɪkəlz	
chemist	ˈkɛmɪst	
chemists	ˈkɛmɪsts	
chemistry	ˈkɛmɪstrɪ	
cheque	ʧɛk	
cheques	ʧɛks	
cherry	ˈʧɛrɪ	
cherries	ˈʧɛrɪz	
chess	ʧɛs	
chest	ʧɛst	
chests	ʧɛsts	
chestnut	ˈʧɛsnʌt	
chestnuts	ˈʧɛsnʌts	
chew	ʧuː	
chews	ʧuːz	
chewed	ʧuːd	
chewing	ˈʧuːɪŋ	
Chicago	ʃɪˈkɑːgoʊ	ʃɪˈkɑːgo
chicken	ˈʧɪkɪn	
chickens	ˈʧɪkɪnz	
chief	ʧiːf	
chiefs	ʧiːfs	
chiefly	ˈʧiːflɪ	
child	ʧaɪld	
children	ˈʧɪldrən ˈʧʊldrən	
childhood	ˈʧaɪldhʊd	
childish	ˈʧaɪldɪʃ	
childishly	ˈʧaɪldɪʃlɪ	
childishness	ˈʧaɪldɪʃnɪs	
Chile	ˈʧɪlɪ	
Chilian	ˈʧɪlɪən	

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Chilians	ˈtʃɪlɪənz	
chilly	ˈtʃɪlɪ	
chillier	ˈtʃɪlɪə(r	ˈtʃɪlɪə
chilliest	ˈtʃɪlɪɪst	
chimney	ˈtʃɪmnɪ	
chimneys	ˈtʃɪmnɪz	
chin	tʃɪn	
chins	tʃɪnz	
china	ˈtʃaɪnə	
China		
Chinese	ˈtʃaɪˈniːz	
chip	tʃɪp	
chips	tʃɪps	
chipped	tʃɪpt	
chipping	ˈtʃɪpɪŋ	
chisel	ˈtʃɪzl̩	
chisels	ˈtʃɪzl̩z	
chivalrous	ˈʃɪvəlrəs, ˈtʃɪvəlrəs	
chivalry	ˈʃɪvəlrɪ, ˈtʃɪvəlrɪ	
chocolate	ˈtʃɒkəlɪt	ˈtʃɑkələt
chocolates	ˈtʃɒkəlɪts	ˈtʃɑkələts
choice	tʃɔɪs	
choke	tʃoʊk	
chokes	tʃoʊks	
choked	tʃoʊkt	
choking	ˈtʃoʊkɪŋ	
cholera	ˈkɒlərə	ˈkɑlərə
choose	tʃuːz	
chooses	ˈtʃuːzɪz	
chose	tʃoʊz	
chosen	tʃoʊzn̩	
choosing	ˈtʃuːzɪŋ	
chop	tʃɒp	tʃɑp
chops	tʃɒps	tʃɑps
chopped	tʃɒpt	tʃɑpt
chopping	ˈtʃɒpɪŋ	ˈtʃɑpɪŋ
chopper	ˈtʃɒpə(r	ˈtʃɑpə
choppers	ˈtʃɒpəz	ˈtʃɑpəz
chop-stick	ˈtʃɒpstɪk	ˈtʃɑpstɪk
chop-sticks	ˈtʃɒpstɪks	ˈtʃɑpstɪks
chord	kɔːd	kɔəd
chords	kɔːdz	kɔədz
chorus	ˈkɔːrəs	
choruses	ˈkɔːrəsɪz	
CHOSE *from* choose	tʃoʊz	
Christian	ˈkrɪstjən	
Christians	ˈkrɪstjənz	

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Christianity	krɪstɪ'ænɪtɪ	
Christmas	'krɪsməs	
chronic	'krɒnɪk	'krɑnɪk
church	tʃə'tʃ	'tʃəə'tʃ
churches	'tʃə'tʃɪz	'tʃəə'tʃɪz
cider	'saɪdə(r	'saɪdə
cigar	sɪ'gɑ'(r	sɪ'gɑə
cigars	sɪ'gɑ'z	sɪ'gɑəz
cigarette	sɪgə'rɛt	
cigarettes	sɪgə'rɛts	
cinder	'sɪndə(r	'sɪndə
cinders	'sɪndəz	'sɪndəz
cinema	'sɪnɪmə	
cinemas	'sɪnɪməz	
cinematograph	sɪnɪ'mætəgrɑ'f	sɪnɪ'mætəgra'f
	sɪnɪ'mætəgræf	
cinematographs	sɪnɪ'mætəgrɑ'fs	sɪnɪ'mætəgra'fs
	sɪnɪ'mætəgræfs	
circle	'sə'kl̩	'səəkl̩
circles	'sə'kl̩z	'səəkl̩z
circuit	'sə'kɪt	'səəkɪt
circuits	'sə'kɪts	'səəkɪts
circular	'sə'kjulə(r	'səəkjulə
circulars	'sə'kjuləz	'səəkjuləz
circulation	səkjʊ'leɪʃən	səəkjʊ'leɪʃən
circulations	səkjʊ'leɪʃənz	səəkjʊ'leɪʃənz
circumference	sə'kʌmfərəns	sə'kʌmfərəns
circumferences	sə'kʌmfərənsɪz	sə'kʌmfərənsɪz
circumstance	'sə'kəmstəns	'səəkəmstæns
circumstances	'sə'kəmstənsɪz	'səəkəmstænsɪz
citizen	'sɪtɪzn̩	
citizens	'sɪtɪzn̩z	
city	'sɪtɪ	
cities	'sɪtɪz	
civil	'sɪvɪl	
civilly	'sɪvɪlɪ	
civilian	sɪ'vɪljən	
civilians	sɪ'vɪljənz	
civilization	sɪvɪlaɪ'zeɪʃən	
	sɪvɪlɪ'zeɪʃən	
civilizations	sɪvɪlaɪ'zeɪʃənz	
	sɪvɪlɪ'zeɪʃənz	
civilize	'sɪvɪlaɪz	
civilizes	'sɪvɪlaɪzɪz	
civilized	'sɪvɪlaɪzd	
civilizing	'sɪvɪlaɪzɪŋ	
claim	kleɪm	

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claims	kleɪmz	
claimed	kleɪmd	
claiming	ˈkleɪmɪŋ	
clap	klæp	
claps	klæps	
clapped	klæpt	
clapping	ˈklæpɪŋ	
clarify	ˈklærɪfaɪ	
clarifies	ˈklærifaɪz	
clarified	ˈklærifaɪd	
clarifying	ˈklærifaɪɪŋ	
class	klɑˈs	klaˈs, klæs
classes	ˈklɑˈsɪz	ˈklaˈsɪz, klæsɪz
classic	ˈklæsɪk	
classics	ˈklæsɪks	
classical	ˈklæsɪkəl	
classification	klæsɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
classifications	klæsɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
classify	ˈklæsɪfaɪ	
classifies	ˈklæsɪfaɪz	
classified	ˈklæsɪfaɪd	
classifying	ˈklæsɪfaɪɪŋ	
clause	klɔˈz	
clauses	ˈklɔˈzɪz	
clay	kleɪ	
clean	kliˈn	
cleaner	ˈkliˈnə(r	ˈkliˈnə
cleanest	ˈkliˈnɪst	
cleans	kliˈnz	
cleaned	kliˈnd	
cleaning	ˈkliˈnɪŋ	
clear	klɪə(r	klɪə
clearer	ˈklɪərə(r	ˈklɪˈrə
clearest	ˈklɪərɪst	ˈklɪˈrɪst
clearly	ˈklɪəlɪ	ˈklɪəlɪ
clergyman	ˈkləˈʤɪmən	ˈklləʤɪmən
clergymen	ˈkləˈʤɪmən	ˈklləʤɪmən
clerk	klɑˈk	kləək
clerks	klɑˈks	kləəks
clever	ˈklɛvə(r	ˈklɛvə
cleverer	ˈklɛvərə(r	ˈklɛvərə
cleverest	ˈklɛvərɪst	
cleverly	ˈklɛvəlɪ	ˈklɛvəlɪ
cleverness	ˈklɛvənɪs	ˈklɛvənɪs
cliff	klɪf	
cliffs	klɪfs	
climate	ˈklaɪmɪt	

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climates	ˈklaɪmɪts	
climb	klaɪm	
climbs	klaɪmz	
climbed	klaɪmd	
climbing	ˈklaɪmɪŋ	
cling	klɪŋ	
clings	klɪŋz	
clung	klʌŋ	
clinging	ˈklɪŋɪŋ	
cloak	kloʊk	
cloaks	kloʊks	
cloak-room	ˈkloʊkrʊm ˈkloʊkrʊm	
cloak-rooms	ˈkloʊkrʊmz ˈkloʊkrʊmz	
clock	klɒk	klɑk
clocks	klɒks	klɑks
close, *noun*	kloʊz	
close, *adj.*	kloʊs	
closer	ˈkloʊsə(r	ˈkloʊsə
closest	ˈkloʊsɪst	
close, *verb.*	kloʊz	
closes	ˈkloʊzɪz	
closed	kloʊzd	
closing	ˈkloʊzɪŋ	
closely	ˈkloʊslɪ	
cloth	klɔθ, klɒθ	
cloths	klɔːðz, klɔðz, klɔθs, klɒθs	
clothes	kloʊz, kloʊðz	
cloud	klaʊd	
clouds	klaʊdz	
cloudy	ˈklaʊdɪ	
club	klʌb	
clubs	klʌbz	
clumsy	ˈklʌmzɪ	
clumsier	ˈklʌmzɪə(r	ˈklʌmzɪə
clumsiest	ˈklʌmzɪɪst	
clumsily	ˈklʌmzɪlɪ	
CLUNG *from* cling	klʌŋ	
coach	koʊtʃ	
coaches	ˈkoʊtʃɪz	
coal	koʊl	
coals	koʊlz	
coarse	kɔːs, kɔəs	koəs
coarser	ˈkɔːsə(r, ˈkɔəsə(r	ˈkoəsə
coarsest	ˈkɔːsɪst, ˈkɔəsɪst	ˈkoəsɪst

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coarsely	ˈkɔˑslɪ, ˈkɔəslɪ	ˈkoəslɪ
coast	koʊst	
coasts	koʊsts	
coat	koʊt	
coats	koʊts	
cock	kɒk	kɑk
cocks	kɒks	kɑks
cocoa	ˈkoʊkoʊ	
coco(a)nut	ˈkoʊkənʌt	
coco(a)nuts	ˈkoʊkənʌts	
code	koʊd	
codes	koʊdz	
coerce	koʊˈəˑs	koʊˈəəs
coerces	koʊˈəˑsɪz	koʊˈəəsɪz
coerced	koʊˈəˑst	koʊˈəəst
coercing	koʊˈəˑsɪŋ	koʊˈəəsɪŋ
coffee	ˈkɒfɪ	
coffin	ˈkɒfɪn	ˈkɑfɪn
coffins	ˈkɒfɪnz	ˈkɑfɪnz
coil	kɔɪl	
coils	kɔɪlz	
coiled	kɔɪld	
coiling	ˈkɔɪlɪŋ	
coincide	koʊɪnˈsaɪd	
coincides	koʊɪnˈsaɪdz	
coincided	koʊɪnˈsaɪdɪd	
coinciding	koʊɪnˈsaɪdɪŋ	
coincidence	koʊˈɪnsɪdəns	
coincidences	koʊˈɪnsɪdənsɪz	
coin	kɔɪn	
coins	kɔɪnz	
cold	koʊld	
colder	ˈkoʊldə(r	ˈkoʊldə
coldest	ˈkoʊldɪst	
colds	koʊldz	
coldly	ˈkoʊldlɪ	
coldness	ˈkoʊldnɪs	
collaborate	kəˈlæbəreɪt	
collaborates	kəˈlæbəreɪts	
collaborated	kəˈlæbəreɪtɪd	
collaborating	kəˈlæbəreɪtɪŋ	
collaborator	kəˈlæbəreɪtə(r	kəˈlæbəreɪtə
collaborators	kəˈlæbəreɪtəz	kəˈlæbəreɪtəz
collaboration	kəlæbəˈreɪʃən	
collapse	kəˈlæps	
collapses	kəˈlæpsɪz	
collapsed	kəˈlæpst	

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collapsing	kə'læpsɪŋ	
collar	'kɒlə(r	'kɑlə
collars	'kɒləz	'kɑləz
colleague	'kɒlig	'kɑlig
colleagues	'kɒligz	'kɑligz
collect	kə'lɛkt	
collects	kə'lɛkts	
collected	kə'lɛktɪd	
collecting	kə'lɛktɪŋ	
collector	kə'lɛktə(r	kə'lɛktə
collectors	kə'lɛktəz	kə'lɛktəz
collection	kə'lɛkʃən	
collections	kə'lɛkʃənz	
collective	kə'lɛktɪv	
collectively	kə'lɛktɪvlɪ	
college	'kɒlɪʤ	'kɑlɪʤ
colleges	'kɒlɪʤɪz	'kɑlɪʤɪz
collide	kə'laɪd	
collides	kə'laɪdz	
collided	kə'laɪdɪd	
colliding	kə'laɪdɪŋ	
collision	kə'lɪʒən	
collisions	kə'lɪʒənz	
colloquial	kə'loʊkwɪəl	
colloquially	kə'loʊkwɪəlɪ	
colloquialism	kə'loʊkwɪəlɪzm̩	
colloquialisms	kə'loʊkwɪəlɪzm̩z	
Colombia	kə'lʌmbɪə	
Colombian	kə'lʌmbɪən	
Colombians	kə'lʌmbɪənz	
colon	'koʊlən	
colons	'koʊlənz	
colonel	'kə·nl̩	'kəən l̩
colonels	'kə·nl̩z	'kəən l̩z
colonial	kə'loʊnjəl	
colonials	kə'loʊnjəlz	
colonist	'kɒlənɪst	'kɑlənɪst
colonists	'kɒlənɪsts	'kɑlənɪsts
colonization	kɒlənaɪ'zeɪʃən	kɑlənaɪ'zeɪʃən
colonize	'kɒlənaɪz	'kɑlənaɪz
colonizes	'kɒlənaɪzɪz	'kɑlənaɪzɪz
colonized	'kɒlənaɪzd	'kɑlənaɪzd
colonizing	'kɒlənaɪzɪŋ	'kɑlənaɪzɪŋ
colony	'kɒlənɪ	
colonies	'kɒlənɪz	
color (*Amer.*)		
colour	'kʌlə(r	'kʌlə

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colors (*Amer.*)		
colours	ˈkʌləz	ˈkʌləz
colored (*Amer.*)		
coloured	ˈkʌləd	ˈkʌləd
coloring (*Amer.*)		
colouring	ˈkʌlərɪŋ	
column	ˈkɒləm	
columns	ˈkɒləmz	
comb	koʊm	
combs	koʊmz	
combed	koʊmd	
combing	ˈkoʊmɪŋ	
combination	kɒmbɪˈneɪʃən	kɑmbɪˈneɪʃən
combinations	kɒmbɪˈneɪʃənz	kɑmbɪˈneɪʃənz
combine	kəmˈbaɪn	
combines	kəmˈbaɪnz	
combined	kəmˈbaɪnd	
combining	kəmˈbaɪnɪŋ	
combustion	kəmˈbʌstʃən	
come	kʌm	
comes	kʌmz	
came	keɪm	
coming	ˈkʌmɪŋ	
comedian	kəˈmiːdjən	
	kəˈmiːdɪən	
comedians	kəˈmiːdjənz	
	kəˈmiːdɪənz	
comedy	ˈkɒmɪdɪ	ˈkɑmɪdɪ
comedies	ˈkɒmɪdɪz	ˈkɑmɪdɪz
comet	ˈkɒmɪt	
comets	ˈkɒmɪts	
comfort	ˈkʌmfət	ˈkʌmfət
comforts	ˈkʌmfəts	ˈkʌmfəts
comforted	ˈkʌmfətɪd	ˈkʌmfətɪd
comforting	ˈkʌmfətɪŋ	ˈkʌmfətɪŋ
comfortable	ˈkʌmfətəbl̩	ˈkʌmfətəbl̩
comfortably	ˈkʌmfətəblɪ	ˈkʌmfətəblɪ
comic	ˈkɒmɪk	ˈkɑmɪk
comical	ˈkɒmɪkəl	ˈkɑmɪkəl
comma	ˈkɒmə	ˈkɑmə
commas	ˈkɒməz	ˈkɑməz
command	kəˈmɑːnd	kəˈmaːnd
commands	kəˈmɑːndz	kəˈmaːndz
commanded	kəˈmɑːndɪd	kəˈmaːndɪd
commanding	kəˈmɑːndɪŋ	kəˈmaːndɪŋ
commander	kəˈmɑːndə(r	kəˈmaːndə
commanders	kəˈmɑːndəz	kəˈmaːndəz

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commandment	kə′mɑˈn*d*mənt	kə′maˈn*d*mənt
commandments	kə′mɑˈn*d*mənts	kə′maˈn*d*mənts
commemorate	kə′mɛməreɪt	
commemorates	kə′mɛməreɪts	
commemorated	kə′mɛməreɪtɪd	
commemorating	kə′mɛməreɪtɪŋ	
commemoration	kəmɛmə′reɪʃən	
commemorations	kəmɛmə′reɪʃənz	
commence	kə′mɛns	
commences	kə′mɛnsɪz	
commenced	kə′mɛnst	
commencing	kə′mɛnsing	
comment	′kɒmɛnt	′kamɛnt
comments	′kɒmɛnts	′kamɛnts
commented	′kɒmɛntɪd	′kamɛntɪd
commenting	′kɒmɛntɪŋ	′kamɛntɪŋ
commerce	′kɒməs, ′kɒməs	′kamɜəs, ′kaməs
commercial	kə′mɜˈʃəl	kə′mɜəʃəl
commercially	kə′mɜˈʃəlɪ	kə′mɜəʃəlɪ
commission	kə′mɪʃən	
commissions	kə′mɪʃənz	
commit	kə′mɪt	
commits	kə′mɪts	
committed	kə′mɪtɪd	
committing	kə′mɪtɪŋ	
committee	kə′mɪtɪ	
committees	kə′mɪtɪz	
common	′kɒmən	′kamən
commoner	′kɒmənə(r	′kamənə
commonest	′kɒmənɪst	′kamənɪst
commonly	′kɒmənlɪ	′kamənlɪ
common-sense	′kɒmən′sɛns	′kamən′sɛns
commotion	kə′moʊʃən	
communicate	kə′mjuˈnɪkeɪt	kə′mjuˈnɪket
communicates	kə′mjuˈnɪkeɪts	kə′mjuˈnɪkets
communicated	kə′mjuˈnɪkeɪtɪd	kə′mjuˈnɪketɪd
communicating	kə′mjuˈnɪkeɪtɪŋ	kə′mjuˈnɪketɪŋ
communication	kəmjuˈnɪ′keɪʃən	
communications	kəmjuˈnɪ′keɪʃənz	
communism	′kɒmjunɪzm̩	′kamjunɪzm̩
communist	′kɒmjunɪst	′kamjunɪst
communists	′kɒmjunɪsts	′kamjunɪsts
community	kə′mjuˈnɪtɪ	
communities	kə′mjuˈnɪtɪz	
compact, *adj.*	kəm′pækt	
companion	kəm′pænjən	
companions	kəm′pænjənz	

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company	ˈkʌmpənɪ	
companies	ˈkʌmpənɪz	
comparable	ˈkɒmpərəbl̩	ˈkɑmpərəbl̩
comparably	ˈkɒmpərəblɪ	ˈkɑmpərəblɪ
comparative	kəmˈpærətɪv	
comparatives	kəmˈpærətɪvz	
comparatively	kəmˈpærətɪvlɪ	
compare	kəmˈpɛə(r	kəmˈpɛə
compares	kəmˈpɛəz	kəmˈpɛəz
compared	kəmˈpɛəd	kəmˈpɛəd
comparing	kəmˈpɛərɪŋ	kəmˈpɛˑrɪŋ
comparison	kəmˈpærɪsən	
	kəmˈpærɪzən	
comparisons	kəmˈpærɪsənz	
	kəmˈpærɪzənz	
compartment	kəmˈpɑˑtmənt	kəmˈpɑətmənt
compartments	kəmˈpɑˑtmənts	kəmˈpɑətmənts
compass	ˈkʌmpəs	
compasses	ˈkʌmpəsɪz	
compatible	kəmˈpætɪbl̩	
compel	kəmˈpɛl	
compels	kəmˈpɛlz	
compelled	kəmˈpɛld	
compelling	kəmˈpɛlɪŋ	
compensate	ˈkɒmpənseɪt	ˈkɑmpənseɪt
	ˈkɒmpɛnseɪt	
compensates	ˈkɒmpənseɪts	ˈkɑmpənseɪts
	ˈkɒmpɛnseɪts	
compensated	ˈkɒmpənseɪtɪd	ˈkɑmpənseɪtɪd
	ˈkɒmpɛnseɪtɪd	
compensating	ˈkɒmpənseɪtɪŋ	ˈkɑmpənseɪtɪŋ
	ˈkɒmpɛnseɪtɪŋ	
compensation	kɒmpənˈseɪʃən	kɑmpənˈseɪʃən
	kɒmpɛnˈseɪʃən	
compensations	kɒmpənˈseɪʃənz	kɑmpənˈseɪʃənz
	kɒmpɛnˈseɪʃənz	
compete	kəmˈpiˑt	
competes	kəmˈpiˑts	
competed	kəmˈpiˑtɪd	
competing	kəmˈpiˑtɪŋ	
competence	ˈkɒmpɪtəns	ˈkɑmpɪtəns
competent	ˈkɒmpɪtənt	ˈkɑmpɪtənt
competition	kɒmpɪˈtɪʃən	kɑmpɪˈtɪʃən
competitions	kɒmpɪˈtɪʃənz	kɑmpɪˈtɪʃənz
competitive	kəmˈpɛtɪtɪv	
competitor	kəmˈpɛtɪtə(r	kəmˈpɛtɪtə
competitors	kəmˈpɛtɪtəz	kəmˈpɛtɪtəz

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compile	kəm′paɪl	
compiles	kəm′paɪlz	
compiled	kəm′paɪld	
compiling	kəm′paɪlɪŋ	
compiler	kəm′paɪlə(r	kəm′paɪlə
compilers	kəm′paɪləz	kəm′paɪləz
complain	kəm′pleɪn	
complains	kəm′pleɪnz	
complained	kəm′pleɪnd	
complaining	kəm′pleɪnɪŋ	
complaint	kəm′pleɪnt	
complaints	kəm′pleɪnts	
complement	′kɒmplɪmənt	′kamplɪmənt
complements	′kɒmplɪmənts	′kamplɪmənts
complete	kəm′pliːt	
complicate	′kɒmplɪkeɪt	′kamplɪkeɪt
complicates	′kɒmplɪkeɪts	′kamplɪkeɪts
complicated	′kɒmplɪkeɪtɪd	′kamplɪkeɪtɪd
complicating	′kɒmplɪkeɪtɪŋ	′kamplɪkeɪtɪŋ
complication	kɒmplɪ′keɪʃən	kamplɪ′keɪʃən
complications	kɒmplɪ′keɪʃənz	kamplɪ′keɪʃənz
compliment, *noun*	′kɒmplɪmənt	′kamplɪmənt
compliments	′kɒmplɪmənts	′kamplɪmənts
compliment, *verb*	′kɒmplɪmɛnt	′kamplɪmɛnt
compliments	′kɒmplɪmɛnts	′kamplɪmɛnts
complimented	′kɒmplɪmɛntɪd	′kamplɪmɛntɪd
complimenting	′kɒmplɪmɛntɪŋ	′kamplɪmɛntɪŋ
complimentary	kɒmplɪ′mɛntərɪ	′kamplɪmɛntərɪ
comply	kəm′plaɪ	
complies	kəm′plaɪz	
complied	kəm′plaɪd	
complying	kəm′plaɪɪŋ	
compose	kəm′pouz	
composes	kəm′pouzɪz	
composed	kəm′pouzd	
composing	kəm′pouzɪŋ	
composer	kəm′pouzə(r	kəm′pouzə
composers	kəm′pouzəz	kəm′pouzəz
composition	kɒmpə′zɪʃən	kampə′zɪʃən
compositions	kɒmpə′zɪʃənz	kampə′zɪʃənz
compound	′kɒmpaʊnd	′kampaʊnd
compounds	′kɒmpaʊndz	′kampaʊndz
compress	kəm′prɛs	
compresses	kəm′prɛsɪz	
compressed	kəm′prɛst	
compressing	kəm′prɛsɪŋ	
compromise	′kɒmprəmaɪz	′kamprəmaɪz

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compromises	ˈkɒmprəmaɪzɪz	ˈkɑmprəmaɪzɪz
compromised	ˈkɒmprəmaɪzd	ˈkɑmprəmaɪzd
compromising	ˈkɒmprəmaɪzɪŋ	ˈkɑmprəmaɪzɪŋ
compulsory	kəmˈpʌlsərɪ	
concave	ˈkɒnˈkeɪv	ˈkɑnˈkeɪv
conceal	kənˈsiˑl	
conceals	kənˈsiˑlz	
concealed	kənˈsiˑld	
concealing	kənˈsiˑlɪŋ	
concede	kənˈsiˑd	
concedes	kənˈsiˑdz	
conceded	kənˈsiˑdɪd	
conceding	kənˈsiˑdɪŋ	
conceit	kənˈsiˑt	
conceited	kənˈsiˑtɪd	
conceivable	kənˈsiˑvəb̩l	
conceivably	kənˈsiˑvəblɪ	
conceive	kənˈsiˑv	
conceives	kənˈsiˑvz	
conceived	kənˈsiˑvd	
conceiving	kənˈsiˑvɪŋ	
concentration	kɒnsənˈtreɪʃən kɒnsɛnˈtreɪʃən	kɑnsənˈtreɪʃən
concentrations	kɒnsənˈtreɪʃn̩z kɒnsɛnˈtreɪʃn̩z	kɑnsənˈtreɪʃənz
concept	ˈkɒnsɛpt	ˈkɑnsɛpt
concepts	ˈkɒnsɛpts	ˈkɑnsɛpts
concern	kənˈsəˑn	kənˈsɜɜn
concerns	kənˈsəˑnz	kənˈsɜɜnz
concerned	kənˈsəˑnd	kəbˈsɜɜnd
concerning	kənˈsəˑnɪŋ	kənˈsɜɜnɪŋ
concert, *noun*	ˈkɒnsət	ˈkɑnsət
concerts	ˈkɒnsəts	ˈkɑnsəts
conciliate	kənˈsɪlɪeɪt	
conciliates	kənˈsɪlɪeɪts	
conciliated	kənˈsɪlɪeɪtɪd	
conciliating	kənˈsɪlɪeɪtɪŋ	
concise	kənˈsaɪs	
concisely	kənˈsaɪslɪ	
conciseness	kənˈsaɪsnɪs	
conclude	kənˈkluˑd	
concludes	kənˈkluˑdz	
concluded	kənˈkluˑdɪd	
concluding	kənˈkluˑdɪŋ	
conclusion	kənˈkluˑʒən	
conclusions	kənˈkluˑʒənz	

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concrete	ˈkɒnkriːt, ˈkɒŋkrit	ˈkɑnkriːt
concur	kənˈkəː	kənˈkəə
concurs	kənˈkəːz	kənˈkəəz
concurred	kənˈkəːd	kənˈkəəd
concurring	kənˈkəːrɪŋ	
condemn	kənˈdɛm	
condemns	kənˈdɛmz	
condemned	kənˈdɛmd	
condemning	kənˈdɛmɪŋ	
condemnation	kɒndɛmˈneɪʃən kɒndəmˈneɪʃən	kɑndɛmˈneɪʃən
condemnations	kɒndɛmˈneɪʃənz kɒndəmˈneɪʃənz	kɑndɛmˈneɪʃənz
condense	kənˈdɛns	
condenses	kənˈdɛnsɪz	
condensed	kənˈdɛnst	
condensing	kənˈdɛnsɪŋ	
condition	kənˈdɪʃən	
conditions	kənˈdɪʃənz	
conditional	kənˈdɪʃənəl	
conditionally	kənˈdɪʃnəlɪ	
conduct, *noun*	ˈkɒndʌkt, ˈkɒndəkt	ˈkɑndʌkt, ˈkɑndəkt
conduct, *verb*	kənˈdʌkt	
conducts	kənˈdʌkts	
conducted	kənˈdʌktɪd	
conducting	kənˈdʌktɪŋ	
conductor	kənˈdʌktə(r	kənˈdʌktə
conductors	kənˈdʌktəz	kənˈdʌktəz
cone	kəʊn	
cones	kəʊnz	
confectionery	kənˈfɛkʃənərɪ	kənˈfɛkʃənɛrɪ
confederation	kənfɛdəˈreɪʃən	
confederations	kənfɛdəˈreɪʃənz	
confer	kənˈfəː(r	kənˈfəə
confers	kənˈfəːz	kənˈfəəz
conferred	kənˈfəːd	kənˈfəəd
conferring	kənˈfəːrɪŋ	
conference	ˈkɒnfərəns	ˈkɑnfərəns
conferences	ˈkɒnfərənsɪz	ˈkɑnfərənsɪz
confess	kənˈfɛs	
confesses	kənˈfɛsɪz	
confessed	kənˈfɛst	
confessing	kənˈfɛsɪŋ	
confession	kənˈfɛʃən	
confessions	kənˈfɛʃənz	
confide	kənˈfaɪd	
confides	kənˈfaɪdz	

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confided	kən′faɪdɪd	
confiding	kən′faɪdɪŋ	
confidence	′kɒnfɪdəns	′kɑnfɪdəns
confident	′kɒnfɪdənt	′kɑnfɪdənt
confidently	′kɒnfɪdəntlɪ	′kɑnfɪdəntlɪ
confidential	kɒnfɪ′dɛnʃəl	kɑnfɪ′dɛnʃəl
confidentially	kɒnfɪ′dɛnʃəlɪ	kɑnfɪ′dɛnʃəlɪ
confine	kən′faɪn	
confines	kən′faɪnz	
confined	kən′faɪnd	
confining	kən′faɪnɪŋ	
confirm	kən′fɜ·m	kən′fɜəm
confirms	kən′fɜ·mz	kən′fɜəmz
confirmed	kən′fɜ·md	kən′fɜəmd
confirming	kən′fɜ·mɪŋ	
confirmation	kɒnfə′meɪʃən	kɑnfə′meɪʃən
confirmations	kɒnfə′meɪʃənz	kɑnfə′meɪʃənz
confiscate	′kɒnfɪskeɪt	′kɑnfɪskeɪt
confiscates	′kɒnfɪskeɪts	′kɑnfɪskeɪts
confiscated	′kɒnfɪskeɪtɪd	′kɑnfɪskeɪtɪd
confiscating	′kɒnfɪskeɪtɪŋ	′kɑnfɪskeɪtɪŋ
confiscation	kɒnfɪs′keɪʃən	kɑnfɪs′keɪʃən
conflict, *noun*	′kɒnflɪkt	′kɑnflɪkt
conflicts	′kɒnflɪkts	′kɑnflɪkts
conflict, *verb*	kən′flɪkt	
conflicts	kən′flɪkts	
conflicted	kən′flɪktɪd	
conflicting	kən′flɪktɪŋ	
conform	kən′fɔ·m	kən′fɔəm
conforms	kən′fɔ·mz	kən′fɔəmz
conformed	kən′fɔ·md	kən′fɔəmd
conforming	kən′fɔ·mɪŋ	kən′fɔəmɪŋ
conformity	kən′fɔ·mɪtɪ	kən′fɔəmɪtɪ
confront	kən′frʌnt	
confronts	kən′frʌnts	
confronted	kən′frʌntɪd	
confronting	kən′frʌntɪŋ	
confuse	kən′fju·z	
confuses	kən′fju·zɪz	
confused	kən′fju·zd	
confusing	kən′fju·zɪŋ	
confusion	kən′fju·ʒən	
confusions	kən′fju·ʒənz	
congestion	kən′ʤɛstʃən	
Congo	′kɒŋgoʊ	
congratulate	kən′grætjuleɪt	
congratulates	kən′grætjuleɪts	

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congratulated	kən'grætjuleɪtɪd	
congratulating	kən'grætjuleɪtɪŋ	
congratulation	kəngrætju'leɪʃən	
congratulations	kəngrætju'leɪʃənz	
congregation	kɒŋgrɪ'geɪʃən	kaŋgrɪ'geɪʃən
congregations	kɒŋgrɪ'geɪʃənz	kaŋgrɪ'geɪʃənz
congregational	kɒŋgrɪ'geɪʃən|	kaŋgrɪ'geɪʃən|
congress	'kɒŋgrɛs	'kaŋgrɪs
congresses	'kɒŋgrɛsɪz	'kaŋgrɪsɪz
conical	'kɒnɪkəl	'kanɪkəl
conjecture	kən'ʤɛktʃə(r	kən'ʤɛktʃə
conjectures	kən'ʤɛktʃəz	kən'ʤɛktʃəz
conjectured	kən'ʤɛktʃəd	kən'ʤɛktʃəd
conjecturing	kən'ʤɛktʃərɪŋ	
conjoint	'kɒnʤɔɪnt, kən'ʤɔɪnt	'kanʤɔɪnt
conjointly	'kɒnʤɔɪntlɪ	'kanʤɔɪntlɪ
	kən'ʤɔɪntlɪ	
conjugal	'kɒnʤugəl	'kanʤugəl
conjugate	'kɒnʤugeɪt	'kanʤugeɪt
conjugates	'kɒnʤugeɪts	'kanʤugeɪts
conjugated	'kɒnʤugeɪtɪd	'kanʤugeɪtɪd
conjugating	'kɒnʤugeɪtɪŋ	'kanʤugeɪtɪŋ
conjugation	kɒnʤu'geɪʃən	kanʤu'geɪʃən
conjugations	kɒnʤu'geɪʃənz	kanʤu'geɪʃənz
conjunction	kən'ʤʌŋkʃən	
conjunctions	kən'ʤʌŋkʃənz	
conjunctive	kən'ʤʌŋktɪv	
conjunctively	kən'ʤʌŋktɪvlɪ	
conjure	'kʌnʤə(r	'kʌnʤə, 'kanʤə
conjures	'kʌnʤəz	'kʌnʤəz, 'kanʤəz
conjured	'kʌnʤəd	'kʌnʤəd, 'kanʤəd
conjuring	'kʌnʤərɪŋ	'kanʤərɪŋ
conjurer	'kʌnʤərə(r	'kʌnʤərə
conjurers	'kʌnʤərəz	'kʌnʤərəz
connect	kə'nɛkt	
connects	kə'nɛkts	
connected	kə'nɛktɪd	
connecting	kə'nɛktɪŋ	
connectedly	kə'nɛktɪdlɪ	
connection	kə'nɛkʃən	
connections	kə'nɛkʃənz	
connective	kə'nɛktɪv	
connexion	kə'nɛkʃən	
connexions	kə'nɛkʃənz	
connivance	kə'naɪvəns	
connive	kə'naɪv	
connives	kə'naɪvz	

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connived	kə'naɪvd	
conniving	kə'naɪvɪŋ	
connotation	kɒnoʊ'teɪʃən	kanoʊ'teɪʃən
connotations	kɒnoʊ'teɪʃənz	kanoʊ'teɪʃənz
conquer	'kɒŋkə(r	'kaŋkə
conquers	'kɒŋkəz	'kaŋkəz
conquered	'kɒŋkəd	'kaŋkəd
conquering	'kɒŋkərɪŋ	'kaŋkərɪŋ
conqueror	'kɒŋkərə(r	'kaŋkərə
conquerors	'kɒŋkərəz	'kaŋkərəz
conquest	'kɒŋkwɛst	'kaŋkwɛst
conquests	'kɒŋkwɛsts	'kaŋkwɛsts
conscience	'kɒnʃəns	'kanʃəns
consciences	'kɒnʃənsɪz	'kanʃənsɪz
conscientious	kɒnʃɪ'ɛnʃəs	kanʃɪ'ɛnʃəs
conscientiously	kɒnʃɪ'ɛnʃəslɪ	kanʃɪ'ɛnʃəslɪ
conscientiousness	kɒnʃɪ'ɛnʃəsnɪs	kanʃɪ'ɛnʃəsnɪs
conscious	'kɒnʃəs	'kanʃəs
consciously	'kɒnʃəslɪ	'kanʃəslɪ
consciousness	'kɒnʃəsnɪs	'kanʃəsnɪs
conscript	'kɒnskrɪpt	'kanskrɪpt
conscripts	'kɒnskrɪpts	'kanskrɪpts
conscription	kən'skrɪpʃən	
consecutive	kən'sɛkjʊtɪv	
consecutively	kən'sɛkjʊtɪvlɪ	
consent	kən'sɛnt	
consents	kən'sɛnts	
consented	kən'sɛntɪd	
consenting	kən'sɛntɪŋ	
consequence	'kɒnsɪkwəns	'kansɪkwəns
consequences	'kɒnsɪkwənsɪz	'kansɪkwənsɪz
consequent	'kɒnsɪkwənt	'kansɪkwənt
consequently	'kɒnsɪkwəntlɪ	'kansɪkwəntlɪ
conservatism	kən'sə·vətɪzm̩	kən'sɜəvətɪzm̩
conservative	kən'sə·vətɪv	kən'sɜəvətɪv
conservatives	kən'sə·vətɪvz	kən'sɜəvətɪvz
consider	kən'sɪdə(r	kən'sɪdə
considers	kən'sɪdəz	kən'sɪdəz
considered	kən'sɪdəd	kən'sɪdəd
considering	kən'sɪdərɪŋ	
considerable	kən'sɪdərəbḷ	
considerably	kən'sɪdərəblɪ	
considerate	kən'sɪdərɪt	
considerately	kən'sɪdərɪtlɪ	
consideration	kənsɪdə'reɪʃən	
considerations	kənsɪdə'reɪʃənz	
consign	kən'saɪn	

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consigns	kən′saɪnz	
consigned	kən′saɪnd	
consigning	kən′saɪnɪŋ	
consigner	kən′saɪnə	
consigners	kən′saɪnəz	
consignment	kən′saɪnmənt	
consignments	kən′saɪnmənts	
consist	kən′sɪst	
consists	kən′sɪsts	
consisted	kən′sɪstɪd	
consisting	kən′sɪstɪŋ	
consistency	kən′sɪstənsɪ	
consistent	kən′sɪstənt	
consistently	kən′sɪstəntlɪ	
consolation	kɒnsə′leɪʃən	kɑnsə′leɪʃən
consolations	kɒnsə′leɪʃənz	kɑnsə′leɪʃənz
console	kən′soʊl	
consoles	kən′soʊlz	
consoled	kən′soʊld	
consoling	kən′soʊlɪŋ	
consonant	′kɒnsənənt	′kɑnsənənt
consonants	′kɒnsənənts	′kɑnsənənts
conspicuous	kən′spɪkjʊəs	
conspicuously	kən′spɪkjʊəslɪ	
conspiracy	kən′spɪrəsɪ	
conspiracies	kən′spɪrəsɪz	
conspirator	kən′spɪrətə(r	kən′spɪrətə
conspirators	kən′spɪrətəz	kən′spɪrətəz
conspire	kən′spaɪə(r	kən′spaɪə
conspires	kən′spaɪəz	kən′spaɪəz
conspired	kən′spaɪəd	kən′spaɪəd
conspiring	kən′spaɪərɪŋ	kən′spaɪrɪŋ
constable	′kʌnstəbl	
constables	′kʌnstəblz	
constancy	′kɒnstənsɪ	′kɑnstənsɪ
constant	′kɒnstənt	′kɑnstənt
Constantinople	kɒn′stæntɪ′noʊpl	
constantly	′kɒnstəntlɪ	′kɑnstəntlɪ
consternation	kɒnstə′neɪʃən	kɒnstə′neɪʃən
constitute	′kɒnstɪtjut	′kɑnstɪtjut
constitutes	′kɒnstɪtjuts	′kɑnstɪtjuts
constituted	′kɒnstɪtjutɪd	′kɑnstɪtjutɪd
constituting	′kɒnstɪtjutɪŋ	′kɑnstɪtjutɪŋ
constitution	kɒnstɪ′tju·ʃən	kɑnstɪ′tju·ʃən
constitutions	kɒnstɪ′tju·ʃənz	kɑnstɪ′tju·ʃənz
constitutional	kɒnstɪ′tju·ʃənəl	kɑnstɪ′tju·ʃənəl
constitutionally	kɒnstɪ′tju·ʃənəlɪ	kɑnstɪ′tju·ʃənəlɪ

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construct	kən′strʌkt	
constructs	kən′strʌkts	
constructed	kən′strʌktɪd	
constructing	kən′strʌktɪŋ	
constructor	kən′strʌktə(r	kən′strʌktə
constructors	kən′strʌktəz	kən′strʌktəz
construction	kən′strʌkʃən	
constructions	kən′strʌkʃənz	
constructive	kən′strʌktɪv	
constructively	kən′strʌktɪvlɪ	
consul	′kɒnsl̩	′kɑnsl̩
consuls	′kɒnsl̩z	′kɑnsl̩z
consular	′kɒnsjʊlə(r	′kɑnsʊlə
consulate	′kɒnsjʊlɪt	′kɑnsʊlɪt
consulates	′kɒnsjʊlɪts	′kɑnsʊlɪts
consult	kən′sʌlt	
consults	kən′sʌlts	
consulted	kən′sʌltɪd	
consulting	kən′sʌltɪŋ	
consultation	kɒnsl̩′teɪʃən	kɑnsl̩′teɪʃən
consultations	kɒnsl̩′teɪʃənz	kɑnsl̩′teɪʃənz
consume	kən′sjuˈm	
consumes	kən′sjuˈmz	
consumed	kən′sjuˈmd	
consuming	kən′sjuˈmɪŋ	
consumer	kən′sjuˈmə(r	kən′sjuˈmə
consumers	kən′sjuˈməz	kən′sjuˈməz
consumption	kən′sʌmpʃən	
contact	′kɒntækt	′kɑntækt
contacts	′kɒntækts	′kɑntækts
contagion	kən′teɪʤən	
contagious	kən′teɪʤəs	
contain	kən′teɪn	
contains	kən′teɪnz	
contained	kən′teɪnd	
containing	kən′teɪnɪŋ	
contaminate	kən′tæmɪneɪt	
contaminates	kən′tæmɪneɪts	
contaminated	kən′tæmɪneɪtɪd	
contaminating	kən′tæmɪneɪtɪŋ	
contamination	kəntæmɪ′neɪʃən	
contemplate	′kɒntɛmpleɪt ′kɒntəmpleɪt	′kɑntɛmpleɪt
contemplates	′kɒntɛmpleɪts ′kɒntəmpleɪts	′kɑntɛmpleɪts
contemplated	′kɒntɛmpleɪtɪd ′kɒntəmpleɪtɪd	′kɑntɛmpleɪtɪd

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contemplating	ˈkɒntəmpleɪtɪŋ ˈkɒntəmpleɪtɪŋ	ˈkantəmpleɪtɪŋ
contemplation	kɒntəmˈpleɪʃən kɒntəmˈpleɪʃən	kantəmˈpleɪʃən
contemporary	kənˈtɛmpərərɪ	kənˈtɛmpərɛrɪ
contemporaries	kənˈtɛmpərərɪz	kənˈtɛmpərɛrɪz
contempt	kənˈtɛm*p*t	
contemptible	kənˈtɛm*p*təbl̩	
contemptibly	kənˈtɛm*p*təblɪ	
contemptuous	kənˈtɛm*p*tjʊəs	
contemptuously	kənˈtɛm*p*tjʊəslɪ	
contend	kənˈtɛnd	
contends	kənˈtɛndz	
contended	kənˈtɛndɪd	
contending	kənˈtɛndɪŋ	
content, *noun*	ˈkɒntɛnt	ˈkantɛnt
contents	ˈkɒntɛnts	ˈkantɛnts
content, *verb, adj.*	kənˈtɛnt	
contents	kənˈtɛnts	
contented	kənˈtɛntɪd	
contenting	kənˈtɛntɪŋ	
contentment	kənˈtɛntmənt	
contention	kənˈtɛnʃən	
contentions	kənˈtɛnʃənz	
contentious	kənˈtɛnʃəs	
contest, *noun*	ˈkɒntɛst	ˈkantɛst
contests	ˈkɒntɛsts	ˈkantɛsts
contest, *verb*	kənˈtɛst	
contests	kənˈtɛsts	
contested	kənˈtɛstɪd	
contesting	kənˈtɛstɪŋ	
context	ˈkɒntɛkst	ˈkantɛkst
contexts	ˈkɒntɛksts	ˈkantɛksts
continent	ˈkɒntɪnənt	ˈkantɪnənt
continents	ˈkɒntɪnənts	ˈkantɪnənts
continental	kɒntɪˈnɛntl̩	kantɪˈnɛntl̩
contingent	kənˈtɪnʤənt	
contingents	kənˈtɪnʤənts	
continual	kənˈtɪnjʊəl	
continually	kənˈtɪnjʊəlɪ	
continuation	kəntɪnjuˈeɪʃən	
continuations	kəntɪnjuˈeɪʃənz	
continue	kənˈtɪnju	
continues	kənˈtɪnjuz	
continued	kənˈtɪnjud	
continuing	kənˈtɪnjuɪŋ	
continuity	kɒntɪˈnjuːɪtɪ	kantɪˈnjuːɪtɪ

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continuous	kən'tɪnjuəs	
continuously	kən'tɪnjuəslɪ	
contortion	kən'tɔ·ʃən	kən'tɔəʃən
contortions	kən'tɔ·ʃənz	kən'tɔəʃənz
contract, *noun*	'kɒntrækt	'kɑntrækt
contracts	'kɒntrækts	'kɑntrækts
contract, *verb*	kən'trækt	
contracts	kən'trækts	
contracted	kən'træktɪd	
contracting	kən'træktɪŋ	
contraction	kən'trækʃən	
contractions	kən'trækʃənz	
contractor	kən'træktə(r	kən'træktə
contractors	kən'træktəz	kən'træktəz
contradict	kɒntrə'dɪkt	kɑntrə'dɪkt
contradicts	kɒntrə'dɪkts	kɑntrə'dɪkts
contradicted	kɒntrə'dɪktɪd	kɑntrə'dɪktɪd
contradicting	kɒntrə'dɪktɪŋ	kɑntrə'dɪktɪŋ
contradiction	kɒntrə'dɪkʃən	kɑntrə'dɪkʃən
contradictions	kɒntrə'dɪkʃənz	kɑntrə'dɪkʃənz
contradictory	kɒntrə'dɪktərɪ	kɑntrə'dɪktərɪ
contrarily	'kɒntrərɪlɪ	'kɑntrərɪlɪ
contrary	'kɒntrərɪ	'kɑntrɛrɪ
contraries	'kɒntrərɪz	'kɑntrɛrɪz
contrast, *noun*	'kɒntrɑst, 'kɒntræst	'kɑntrast
contrasts	'kɒntrɑsts 'kɒntræsts	'kɑntrasts
contrast, *verb*	kən'trɑ·st kən'træst	'kən'tra·st
contrasts	kən'trɑ·sts, kən'træsts	kən'tra·sts
contrasted	kən'trɑ·sted kən'træstɪd	kən'tra·stɪd
contrasting	kən'trɑ·stɪŋ kən'træstɪŋ	kən'tra·stɪŋ
contribute	kən'trɪbjut	
contributes	kən'trɪbjuts	
contributed	kən'trɪbjutɪd	
contributing	kən'trɪbjutɪŋ	
contribution	kɒntrɪ'bju·ʃən	kɑntrɪ'bju·ʃən
contributions	kɒntrɪ'bju·ʃənz	kɑntrɪ'bju·ʃənz
contributor	kən'trɪbjutə(r	kən'trɪbjutə
contributors	kən'trɪbjutəz	kən'trɪbjutəz
contrivance	kən'traɪvəns	
contrivances	kən'traɪvənsɪz	
contrive	kən'traɪv	
contrives	kən'traɪvz	

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contrived	kən′traɪvd	
contriving	kən′traɪvɪŋ	
control	kən′troʊl	
controls	kən′troʊlz	
controlled	kən′troʊld	
controlling	kən′troʊlɪŋ	
controller	kən′troʊlə(r	kən′troʊlə
controllers	kən′troʊləz	kən′troʊləz
controversial	kɒntrə′vɜ·ʃəl	kɑntrə′vɜəʃəl
controversy	′kɒntrəvɜsɪ	′kɑntrəvɜəsɪ
controversies	′kɒntrəvɜsɪz	′kɑntrəvɜəsɪz
conundrum	kə′nʌndrəm	
conundrums	kə′nʌndrəmz	
convalescence	kɒnvə′lɛsn̩s	kɑnvə′lɛsn̩s
convalescent	kɒnvə′lɛsn̩t	kɑnvə′lɛsn̩t
convenience	kən′vi·njəns	
conveniences	kən′vi·njənsɪz	
convenient	kən′vi·njənt	
conveniently	kən′vi·njəntlɪ	
convent	′kɒnvənt, ′kɒnvɛnt	′kɑnvɛnt
convents	′kɒnvənts ′kɒnvɛnts	′kɑnvɛnts
convention	kən′vɛnʃən	
conventions	kən′vɛnʃənz	
conventional	kən′vɛnʃən|ˡ	
conventionally	kən′vɛnʃən|ˡɪ	
converge	kən′vɜ·ʤ	kən′vɜəʤ
converges	kən′vɜ·ʤɪz	kən′vɜəʤɪz
converged	kən′vɜ·ʤd	kən′vɜəʤd
converging	kən′vɜ·ʤɪŋ	kən′vɜəʤɪŋ
conversation	kɒnvə′seɪʃən	kɑnvə′seɪʃən
conversations	kɒnvə′seɪʃəns	kɑnvə′seɪʃənz
conversational	kɒnvə′seɪʃən|ˡ	
conversationally	kɒnvə′seɪʃən|ˡɪ	
converse, *noun*	′kɒnvɜs	′kɑnvɜəs
converse, *verb*	kən′vɜ·s	kən′vɜəs
converses	kən′vɜ·sɪz	kən′vɜəsɪz
conversed	kən′vɜ·st	kən′vɜəst
conversing	kən′vɜ·sɪŋ	kən′vɜəsɪŋ
conversion	kən′vɜ·ʃn̩	kən′vɜəʃn̩
conversions	kən′vɜ·ʃn̩z	kən′vɜəʃn̩z
convert, *noun*	′kɒnvɜt	′kɑnvɜət
converts	′kɒnvɜts	′kɑnvɜəts
convert, *verb*	kən′vɜ·t	kən′vɜət
converts	kən′vɜ·ts	kən′vɜəts
converted	kən′vɜ·tɪd	kən′vɜətɪd
converting	kən′vɜ·tɪŋ	kən′vɜətɪŋ

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convex	ˈkɒnˈvɛks	ˈkɑnˈvɛks
convey	kənˈveɪ	
conveys	kənˈveɪz	
conveyed	kənˈveɪd	
conveying	kənˈveɪɪŋ	
conveyance	kənˈveɪəns	
conveyances	kənˈveɪənsɪz	
convict, *noun*	ˈkɒnvɪkt	ˈkɑnvɪkt
convicts	ˈkɒnvɪkts	ˈkɑnvɪkts
convict, *verb*	kənˈvɪkt	
convicts	kənˈvɪkts	
convicted	kənˈvɪktɪd	
convicting	kənˈvɪktɪŋ	
conviction	kənˈvɪkʃən	
convictions	kənˈvɪkʃənz	
convince	kənˈvɪns	
convinces	kənˈvɪnsɪz	
convinced	kənˈvɪnst	
convincing	kənˈvɪnsɪŋ	
convivial	kənˈvɪvɪəl	
convulsion	kənˈvʌlʃən	
convulsions	kənˈvʌlʃənz	
cook	kʊk	
cooks	kʊks	
cooked	kʊkt	
cooking	ˈkʊkɪŋ	
cookery	ˈkʊkərɪ	
cool	kuˑl	
cooler	ˈkuˑlə(r	ˈkuˑlə
coolest	ˈkuˑlɪst	
coolly	ˈkuˑllɪ	
coolness	ˈkuˑlnɪs	kuˑlnəs
co-operate	kouˈɒpəreɪt	kouˈɑpəreɪt
co-operates	kouˈɒpəreɪts	kouˈɑpəreɪts
co-operated	kouˈɒpəreɪtɪd	kouˈɑpəreɪtɪd
co-operating	kouˈɒpəreɪtɪŋ	kouˈɑpəreɪtɪŋ
co-operator	kouˈɒpəreɪtə(r	kouˈɑpəreɪtə
co-operators	kouˈɒpəreɪtəz	kouˈɑpəreɪtəz
co-operation	kouɒpəˈreɪʃən	kouɑpəˈreɪʃən
co-ordinate	kouˈɔˑdɪneɪt	kouˈɔədɪneɪt
co-ordinates	kouˈɔˑdɪneɪts	kouˈɔədɪneɪts
co-ordinated	kouˈɔˑdɪneɪtɪd	kouˈɔədɪneɪtɪd
co-ordinating	kouˈɔˑdɪneɪtɪŋ	kouˈɔədɪneɪtɪŋ
Copenhagen	ˈkoupn̩ˈheɪgən	
copper	ˈkɒpə(r	ˈkɑpə
copy	ˈkɒpɪ	ˈkɑpɪ
copies	ˈkɒpɪz	ˈkɑpɪz

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copied	ˈkɒpɪd	ˈkɑpɪd
copying	ˈkɒpɪɪŋ	ˈkɑpɪɪŋ
copyright	ˈkɒpɪraɪt	ˈkɑpɪraɪt
coral	ˈkɒrəl	
cord	kɔˑd	kɔəd
cords	kɔˑdz	kɔədz
cordial	ˈkɔˑdjəl, ˈkɔˑdɪəl	ˈkɔəʤəl, ˈkɔədɪəl
cordially	ˈkɔˑdjəlɪ, ˈkɔˑdɪəlɪ	ˈkɔədɪəlɪ
core	kɔˑ(r, kɔə(r	kɔə
cores	kɔˑz, kɔəz	kɔəz
cork	kɔˑk	kɔək
corks	kɔˑks	kɔəks
cork-screw	ˈkɔˑkskruˑ	ˈkɔəkskruˑ
cork-screws	ˈkɔˑkskruˑz	ˈkɔəkskruˑz
corn	kɔˑn	kɔən
corns	kɔˑnz	kɔənz
corner	ˈkɔˑnə(r	ˈkɔənə
corners	ˈkɔˑnəz	ˈkɔənəz
corollary	kəˈrɒlərɪ	ˈkɒrəlɛrɪ
corollaries	kəˈrɒlərɪz	ˈkɒrəlɛrɪz
coronation	kɒrəˈneɪʃən	
coronations	kɒrəˈneɪʃənz	
corporal	ˈkɔˑpərəl	ˈkɔəpərəl
corporals	ˈkɔˑpərəlz	ˈkɔəpərəlz
corporation	kɔˑpəˈreɪʃən	kɔəpəˈreɪʃən
corporations	kɔˑpəˈreɪʃənz	kɔəpəˈreɪʃənz
corps, *sing.*	kɔə, kɔˑ	kɔə
corps, *plu.*	kɔəz, kɔˑz	kɔəz
corpse	kɔˑps	kɔəps
corpses	ˈkɔˑpsɪz	ˈkɔəpsɪz
correct	kəˈrɛkt	
corrects	kəˈrɛkts	
corrected	kəˈrɛktɪd	
correcting	kəˈrɛktɪŋ	
correction	kəˈrɛkʃən	
corrections	kəˈrɛkʃənz	
correctly	kəˈrɛktlɪ	
correctness	kəˈrɛktnɪs	
corrector	kəˈrɛktə(r	kəˈrɛktə
correctors	kəˈrɛktəz	kəˈrɛktəz
corrective	kəˈrɛktɪv	
correlate	ˈkɒrɪleɪt	
correlates	ˈkɒrɪleɪts	
correlated	ˈkɒrɪleɪtɪd	
correlating	ˈkɒrɪleɪtɪŋ	
correlation	kɒrɪˈleɪʃən	
correlations	kɒrɪˈleɪʃənz	

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correspond	kɒrɪs'pɒnd	kɒrɪs'pɑnd
corresponds	kɒrɪs'pɒndz	kɑrɪs'pɑndz
corresponded	kɒrɪs'pɒndɪd	kɒrɪs'pɑndɪd
corresponding	kɒrɪs'pɒndɪŋ	kɒrɪs'pɑndɪŋ
correspondence	kɒrɪs'pɒndəns	kɒrɪs'pɑndəns
correspondingly	kɒrɪs'pɒndɪŋlɪ	kɒrɪs'pɑndɪŋlɪ
corridor	'kɒrɪdɔ(r	'kɒrɪdɔə, kɒrɪdə
corridors	'kɒrɪdɔz	'kɒrɪdɔəz, kɒrɪdəz
corroborate	kə'rɒbəreɪt	kə'rɑbəreɪt
corroborates	kə'rɒbəreɪts	kə'rɑbəreɪts
corroborated	kə'rɒbəreɪtɪd	kə'rɑbəreɪtɪd
corroborating	kə'rɒbəreɪtɪŋ	kə'rɑbəreɪtɪŋ
corroboration	kərɒbə'reɪʃən	kərɑbə'reɪʃən
corrupt	kə'rʌpt	
corrupts	kə'rʌpts	
corrupted	kə'rʌptɪd	
corrupting	kə'rʌptɪŋ	
corruption	kə'rʌpʃən	
corruptly	kə'rʌptlɪ	
corset	'kɔ·sɪt	'kɔəsɪt
corsets	'kɔ·sɪts	'kɔəsɪts
cosmopolitan	kɒsmə'pɒlɪtən	kɑzmə'pɑlɪtən
cost	kɔst, kɒst	
costs	kɔsts, kɒsts	
costing	'kɔstɪŋ, 'kɒstɪŋ	
costly	'kɔstlɪ, 'kɒstlɪ	
costume	'kɒstjum	'kɑstjum
costumes	'kɒstjumz	'kɑstjumz
cosy	'kouzɪ	
cosier	'kouzɪə(r	'kouzɪə
cosiest	'kouzɪɪst	
cosily	'kouzɪlɪ	
cot	kɒt	kɑt
cots	kɒts	kɑts
cottage	'kɒtɪʤ	'kɑtɪʤ
cottages	'kɒtɪʤɪz	'kɑtɪʤɪz
cotton	'kɒtn̩	'kɑtn̩
cough	kɒf	
coughs	kɒfs	
coughed	kɒft	
coughing	'kɒfɪŋ	
COULD *from* can	kʊd *s.f.*, kəd *w.f.*	
council	'kaʊnsl̩	
councils	'kaʊnsl̩z	
councillor	'kaʊnsɪlə(r	'kaʊnsɪlə
councillors	'kaʊnsɪləz	'kaʊnsɪləz
counsel	'kaʊnsl̩	

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counsels	ˈkaʊns|z	
counsellor	ˈkaʊnsələ(r	ˈkaʊnsələ
counsellors	ˈkaʊnsələz	ˈkaʊnsələz
count	kaʊnt	
counts	kaʊnts	
counted	ˈkaʊntɪd	
counting	ˈkaʊntɪŋ	
countenance	ˈkaʊntɪnəns	
countenances	ˈkaʊntɪnənsɪz	
counter	ˈkaʊntə(r	ˈkaʊntə
counters	ˈkaʊntəz	ˈkaʊntəz
counterbalance	kaʊntəˈbæləns	kaʊntəˈbæləns
counterbalances	kaʊntəˈbæləns ɪz	kaʊntəˈbæləns ɪz
counterbalanced	kaʊntəˈbæləns t	kaʊntəˈbæləns t
counterbalancing	kaʊntəˈbæləns ɪŋ	kaʊntəˈbæləns ɪŋ
countermand	kaʊntəˈmɑːnd	kaʊntəˈmaːnd
countermands	kaʊntəˈmɑːndz	kaʊntəˈmaːndz
countermanded	kaʊntəˈmɑːndɪd	kaʊntəˈmaːndɪd
countermanding	kaʊntəˈmɑːndɪŋ	kaʊntəˈmaːndɪŋ
countess	ˈkaʊntɪs	
countesses	ˈkaʊntɪsɪz	
countless	ˈkaʊntlɪs	
country	ˈkʌntrɪ	
countries	ˈkʌntrɪz	
countryman	ˈkʌntrɪmən	
countrymen	ˈkʌntrɪmən	
couple	ˈkʌp|l	
couples	ˈkʌp|lz	
coupled	ˈkʌp|ld	
coupling	ˈkʌp|lɪŋ	
courage	ˈkʌrɪʤ	ˈkərɪʤ
courageous	kəˈreɪʤəs	
courageously	kəˈreɪʤəslɪ	
course	kɔːs	koəs
courses	ˈkɔːsɪz	ˈkoəsɪz
court	kɔːt, kɔət	koət
courts	kɔːts, kɔəts	koəts
courteous	ˈkəːtjəs, ˈkəːtɪəs	ˈkəətjəs, ˈkəətɪəs
courteously	ˈkəːtjəslɪ, ˈkəːtɪəslɪ	ˈkəətjəslɪ, ˈkəətɪəslɪ
courtesy	ˈkəːtɪsɪ	ˈkəətɪsɪ
courtesies	ˈkəːtɪsɪz	ˈkəətɪsɪz
cousin	ˈkʌzɪn	
cousins	ˈkʌzɪnz	
cover	ˈkʌvə(r	ˈkʌvə
covers	ˈkʌvəz	ˈkʌvəz
covered	ˈkʌvəd	ˈkʌvəd
covering	ˈkʌvərɪŋ	

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cow	kaʊ	
cows	kaʊz	
coward	ˈkaʊəd	ˈkaʊəd
cowards	ˈkaʊədz	ˈkaʊədz
cowardice	ˈkaʊədɪs	ˈkaʊədɪs
cowardly	ˈkaʊədlɪ	ˈkaʊədlɪ
crab	kræb	
crabs	kræbz	
crack	kræk	
cracks	kræks	
cracked	krækt	
cracking	ˈkrækɪŋ	
cradle	ˈkreɪd‖	
cradles	ˈkreɪd‖z	
craft	krɑˑft	kraˑft, kræft
crafts	krɑˑfts	kraˑfts, kræfts
craftily	ˈkrɑˑftɪlɪ	ˈkraˑftɪlɪ, kræftɪlɪ
crafty	ˈkrɑˑftɪ	ˈkraˑftɪ, kræftɪ
cram	kræm	
crams	kræmz	
crammed	kræmd	
cramming	ˈkræmɪŋ	
cramp	kræmp	
crane	kreɪn	
cranes	kreɪnz	
crank	kræŋk	
cranks	kræŋks	
crash	kræʃ	
crashes	ˈkræʃɪz	
crashed	ˈkræʃt	
crashing	ˈkræʃɪŋ	
crater	ˈkreɪtə(r	ˈkreɪtə
craters	ˈkreɪtəz	ˈkreɪtəz
crave	kreɪv	
craves	kreɪvz	
craved	kreɪvd	
craving	ˈkreɪvɪŋ	
cravings	ˈkreɪvɪŋz	
crawl	krɔˑl	
crawls	krɔˑlz	
crawled	krɔˑld	
crawling	ˈkrɔˑlɪŋ	
crazy	ˈkreɪzɪ	
crazier	ˈkreɪzɪə(r	ˈkreɪzɪə
craziest	ˈkreɪzɪst	
cream	kriˑm	
crease	kriˑs	

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creases	ˈkriˑsɪz	
create	krɪˈeɪt	
creates	krɪˈeɪts	
created	krɪˈeɪtɪd	
creating	krɪˈeɪtɪŋ	
creation	krɪˈeɪʃən	
creations	krɪˈeɪʃənz	
creative	krɪˈeɪtɪv	
creator	krɪˈeɪtə(r	krɪˈeɪtə
creators	krɪˈeɪtəz	krɪˈeɪtəz
creature	ˈkriˑtʃə(r	ˈkriˑtʃə
creatures	ˈkriˑtʃəz	ˈkriˑtʃəz
credential	krɪˈdɛnʃəl	
credentials	krɪˈdɛnʃəlz	
credible	ˈkrɛdɪbl̩	
credibly	ˈkrɛdɪblɪ	
credit	ˈkrɛdɪt	
credits	ˈkrɛdɪts	
credited	ˈkrɛdɪtɪd	
crediting	ˈkrɛdɪtɪŋ	
creditable	ˈkrɛdɪtəbl̩	
creditably	ˈkrɛdɪtəblɪ	
creditor	ˈkrɛdɪtə(r	ˈkrɛdɪtə
creditors	ˈkrɛdɪtəz	ˈkrɛdɪtəz
credulity	krɪˈdjuˑlɪtɪ	
credulous	ˈkrɛdjuləs	
creed	kriˑd	
creeds	kriˑdz	
creep	kriˑp	
creeps	kriˑps	
crept	krɛpt	
creeping	ˈkriˑpɪŋ	
creeper	ˈkriˑpə(r	ˈkriˑpə
creepers	ˈkriˑpəz	ˈkriˑpəz
cremate	krɪˈmeɪt	
cremates	krɪˈmeɪts	
cremated	krɪˈmeɪtɪd	
cremating	krɪˈmeɪtɪŋ	
cremation	krɪˈmeɪʃən	
CREPT *from* creep	krɛpt	
crescent	ˈkrɛsn̩t, ˈkrɛzn̩t	
crescents	ˈkrɛsn̩ts, ˈkrɛzn̩ts	
crest	krɛst	
crests	krɛsts	
crew	kruˑ	
crews	kruˑz	
CREW *from* crow	kruˑ	

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cricket	ˈkrɪkɪt	
crime	kraɪm	
crimes	kraɪmz	
criminal	ˈkrɪmɪnl̩	
criminals	ˈkrɪmɪnl̩z	
crimson	ˈkrɪmzn̩	
cripple	ˈkrɪpl̩	
cripples	ˈkrɪpl̩z	
crippled	ˈkrɪpl̩d	
crippling	ˈkrɪplɪŋ, ˈkrɪpl̩ɪŋ	
critic	ˈkrɪtɪk	
critics	ˈkrɪtɪks	
critical	ˈkrɪtɪkəl	
critically	ˈkrɪtɪkəlɪ	
criticism	ˈkrɪtɪsɪzm̩	
criticisms	ˈkrɪtɪsɪzm̩z	
criticize	ˈkrɪtɪsaɪz	
criticizes	ˈkrɪtɪsaɪzɪz	
criticized	ˈkrɪtɪsaɪzd	
criticizing	ˈkrɪtɪsaɪzɪŋ	
critique	krɪˈtiːk	
critiques	krɪˈtiːks	
crockery	ˈkrɒkərɪ	ˈkrɑkərɪ
crocodile	ˈkrɒkədaɪl	ˈkrɑkədaɪl
crocodiles	ˈkrɒkədaɪlz	ˈkrɑkədaɪlz
crooked	ˈkrʊkɪd	
crookedly	ˈkrʊkɪdlɪ	
crop	krɒp	krɑp
crops	krɒps	krɑps
cropped	krɒpt	krɑpt
cropping	ˈkrɒpɪŋ	ˈkrɑpɪŋ
cross	krɔs, krɒs	krɔːs, krɑs
crosser	ˈkrɔsə(r, ˈkrɒsə(r	krɔsə, krɒsə
crossest	ˈkrɔsɪst, ˈkrɒsɪst	
crosses	ˈkrɔsɪz, ˈkrɒsɪz	
crossed	krɔst, krɒst	
crossing	ˈkrɔsɪŋ, ˈkrɒsɪŋ	
crossings	ˈkrɔsɪŋz, ˈkrɒsɪŋz	
crossly	ˈkrɔslɪ, ˈkrɒslɪ	
crossness	ˈkrɔsnɪs, ˈkrɒsnɪs	
crouch	kraʊtʃ	
crouches	ˈkraʊtʃɪz	
crouched	kraʊtʃt	
crouching	ˈkraʊtʃɪŋ	
crow	kroʊ	
crows	kroʊz	
crowed	kroʊd	

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crowing	ˈkroʊɪŋ	
crowd	kraʊd	
crowds	kraʊdz	
crowded	ˈkraʊdɪd	
crowding	ˈkraʊdɪŋ	
crown	kraʊn	
crowns	kraʊnz	
crowned	kraʊnd	
crowning	ˈkraʊnɪŋ	
crude	kruˈd	
cruder	ˈkruˈdə(r	ˈkruˈdə
crudest	ˈkruˈdɪst	
crudely	ˈkruˈdlɪ	
crudeness	ˈkruˈdnɪs	
cruel	ˈkruəl, ˈkruɪl	
crueller	ˈkruələ(r, kruɪlə(r	ˈkruələ
cruellest	ˈkruəlɪst, ˈkruɪlɪst	
cruelly	ˈkruəlɪ, ˈkruɪlɪ	
cruelness	ˈkruəlnɪs, ˈkruɪlnɪs	
cruelty	ˈkruəltɪ	
cruelties	ˈkruəltɪz	
cruise	kruˈz	
cruises	ˈkruˈzɪz	
cruised	kruˈzd	
cruising	ˈkruˈzɪŋ	
cruiser	ˈkruˈzə(r	ˈkruˈzə
cruisers	ˈkruˈzəz	ˈkruˈzəz
crumb	krʌm	
crumbs	krʌmz	
crumble	ˈkrʌmbl̩	
crumbles	ˈkrʌmbl̩z	
crumbled	ˈkrʌmbl̩d	
crumbling	ˈkrʌmblɪŋ	
crumple	ˈkrʌmpl̩	
crumples	ˈkrʌmpl̩z	
crumpled	ˈkrʌmpl̩d	
crumpling	ˈkrʌmplɪŋ	
crush	krʌʃ	
crushes	ˈkrʌʃɪz	
crushed	krʌʃt	
crushing	ˈkrʌʃɪŋ	
crust	krʌst	
crusts	krʌsts	
cry	kraɪ	
cries	kraɪz	
cried	kraɪd	
crying	ˈkraɪɪŋ	

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crystal	ˈkrɪstl̩	
crystals	ˈkrɪstl̩z	
Cuba	ˈkjuːbə	
Cuban	ˈkjuːbən	
Cubans	ˈkjuːbənz	
cube	kjuːb	
cubes	kjuːbz	
cubic	ˈkjuːbɪk	
cuff	kʌf	
cuffs	kʌfs	
cultivate	ˈkʌltɪveɪt	
cultivates	ˈkʌltɪveɪts	
cultivated	ˈkʌltɪveɪtɪd	
cultivating	ˈkʌltɪveɪtɪŋ	
cultivation	kʌltɪˈveɪʃən	
culture	ˈkʌltʃə(r	ˈkʌltʃə
cultures	ˈkʌltʃəz	ˈkʌltʃəz
cultured	ˈkʌltʃəd	ˈkʌltʃəd
cumbrous	ˈkʌmbrəs	
cunning	ˈkʌnɪŋ	
cunningly	ˈkʌnɪŋlɪ	
cup	kʌp	
cups	kʌps	
cupboard	ˈkʌbəd	ˈkʌbəd
cupboards	ˈkʌbədz	ˈkʌbədz
cupful	ˈkʌpful	
cupfuls	ˈkʌpfulz	
curable	ˈkjʊərəbl̩	ˈkjʊːrəbl̩
curate	ˈkjʊərɪt	ˈkjʊːrɪt
curates	ˈkjʊərɪts	ˈkjʊːrɪts
cure	kjʊə(r	kjʊə
cures	kjʊəz	kjʊəz
cured	kjʊəd	kjʊəd
curing	ˈkjʊərɪŋ	ˈkjʊːrɪŋ
curio	ˈkjʊərɪʊ	ˈkjʊːrɪʊ
curios	ˈkjʊərɪʊz	ˈkjʊːrɪʊz
curiosity	kjʊərɪˈɒsɪtɪ	kjʊːrɪˈɑsɪtɪ
curiosities	kjʊərɪˈɒsɪtɪz	kjʊːrɪˈɑsɪtɪz
curious	ˈkjʊərɪəs	kjʊːrɪəs
curiously	ˈkjʊərɪəslɪ	kjʊːrɪəslɪ
curl	kəːl	kəəl
curls	kəːlz	kəəlz
curled	kəːld	kəəld
curling	ˈkəːlɪŋ	ˈkəəlɪŋ
currant	ˈkʌrənt	ˈkərənt
currants	ˈkʌrənts	ˈkərənts
current	ˈkʌrənt	

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currents	ˈkʌrənts	
currently	ˈkʌrəntlɪ	
curse	kɜˈs	kɜəs
curses	ˈkɜˈsɪz	ˈkɜəsɪz
cursed	kɜˈst	kɜəst
cursing	ˈkɜˈsɪŋ	ˈkɜəsɪŋ
cursed, *adj.*	ˈkɜˈsɪd	ˈkɜəsɪd
curt	kɜˈt	kɜət
curter	ˈkɜˈtə(r	ˈkɜətə
curtest	ˈkɜˈtɪst	ˈkɜətɪst
curtain	ˈkɜˈtn̩	ˈkɜətn̩
curtains	ˈkɜˈtn̩z	ˈkɜətn̩z
curtly	ˈkɜˈtlɪ	ˈkɜətlɪ
curve	kɜˈv	kɜəv
curves	kɜˈvz	kɜəvz
curved	kɜˈvd	kɜəvd
curving	ˈkɜˈvɪŋ	ˈkɜəvɪŋ
cushion	ˈkʊʃɪn	
cushions	ˈkʊʃɪnz	
custom	ˈkʌstəm	
customs	ˈkʌstəmz	
customer	ˈkʌstəmə(r	ˈkʌstəmə
customers	ˈkʌstəməz	ˈkʌstəməz
custom-house	ˈkʌstəmhaʊs	
custom-houses	ˈkʌstəmhaʊzɪz	
cut	kʌt	
cuts	kʌts	
cutting	ˈkʌtɪŋ	
cutter	ˈkʌtə(r	ˈkʌtə
cutters	ˈkʌtəz	ˈkʌtəz
cycle	ˈsaɪkl̩	
cycles	ˈsaɪkl̩z	
cycled	ˈsaɪkl̩d	
cycling	ˈsaɪklɪŋ	
cyclist	ˈsaɪklɪst	
cyclists	ˈsaɪklɪsts	
cylinder	ˈsɪlɪndə(r	ˈsɪlɪndə
cylinders	ˈsɪlɪndəz	ˈsɪlɪndəz
cynic	ˈsɪnɪk	
cynics	ˈsɪnɪks	
cynical	ˈsɪnɪkəl	
cynically	ˈsɪnɪkəlɪ	

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	D	
D	di'	
D's	di'z	
daily	'deɪlɪ	
dainty	'deɪntɪ	
dainties	'deɪntɪz	
daintier	'deɪntɪə(r	'deɪntɪə
daintiest	'deɪntɪst	
daintily	'deɪntɪlɪ	
dairy	'dɛərɪ	'dɛ'rɪ
dairies	'dɛərɪz	'dɛ'rɪz
dam	dæm	
dams	dæmz	
damage	'dæmɪʤ	
damages	'dæmɪʤɪz	
damaged	'dæmɪʤd	
damaging	'dæmɪʤɪŋ	
damp	dæmp	
damper	'dæmpə(r	'dæmpə
dampest	'dæmpɪst	
dampness	'dæmpnɪs	
dance	dɑ'ns	da'ns
dances	'dɑ'nsiz	'da'nsɪz
danced	dɑ'nst	da'nst
dancing	'dɑ'nsɪŋ	'da'nsɪŋ
dancer	'dɑ'nsə(r	'da'nsə
dancers	'dɑ'nsəz	'da'nsəz
Dane	deɪn	
Danes	deɪnz	
danger	'deɪnʤə(r	'deɪnʤə
dangers	'deɪnʤəz	'deɪnʤəz
dangerous	'deɪnʤərəs	
dangerously	'deɪnʤərəslɪ	
Danish	'deɪnɪʃ	
dare	dɛə(r	dɛə
dares	dɛəz	dɛəz
dared	dɛəd	dɛəd
daring	'dɛərɪŋ	'dɛ'rɪŋ
daren't	dɛənt	dɛənt
daring, *adj*	'dɛərɪŋ	'dɛ'rɪŋ
daringly	'dɛərɪŋlɪ	'dɛ'rɪŋlɪ
dark	dɑ'k	dɑək
darker	'dɑ'kə(r	'dɑəkə
darkest	'dɑ'kɪst	'dɑəkɪst
darkness	'dɑ'knɪs	'dɑəknɪs
darken	'dɑ'kən	'dɑəkən

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darkens	ˈdɑːkənz	ˈdɑəkənz
darkened	ˈdɑːkənd	dɑəkənd
darkening	ˈdɑːkənɪŋ	ˈdɑəkənɪŋ
darling	ˈdɑːlɪŋ	ˈdɑəlɪŋ
darlings	ˈdɑːlɪŋz	ˈdɑəlɪŋz
dart	dɑːt	dɑət
darts	dɑːts	dɑəts
darted	ˈdɑːtɪd	ˈdɑətɪd
darting	ˈdɑːtɪŋ	ˈdɑətɪŋ
dash	dæʃ	
dashes	ˈdæʃɪz	
dashed	dæʃt	
dashing	ˈdæʃɪŋ	
date	deɪt	
dates	deɪts	
dated	ˈdeɪtɪd	
dating	ˈdeɪtɪŋ	
daughter	ˈdɔːtə(r	ˈdɔːtə
daughters	ˈdɔːtəz	ˈdɔːtəz
daughter-in-law	ˈdɔːtərɪnlɔ	
daughters-in-law	ˈdɔːtəzɪnlɔ	ˈdɔːtəzɪnlɔ
dawn	dɔːn	
dawns	dɔːnz	
dawned	dɔːnd	
dawning	ˈdɔːnɪŋ	
day	deɪ	
days	deɪz	
daylight	ˈdeɪlaɪt	
daytime	ˈdeɪtaɪm	
dazzle	ˈdæzl̩	
dazzles	ˈdæzl̩z	
dazzled	ˈdæzl̩d	
dazzling	ˈdæzl̩ɪŋ	
dead	dɛd	
deaden	ˈdɛdn̩	
deadens	ˈdɛdn̩z	
deadened	ˈdɛdn̩d	
deadening	ˈdɛdn̩ɪŋ	
deadly	ˈdɛdlɪ	
deaf	dɛf	
deafer	ˈdɛfə(r	ˈdɛfə
deafest	ˈdɛfɪst	
deafness	ˈdɛfnɪs	
deafen	ˈdɛfn̩	
deafens	ˈdɛfn̩z	
deafened	ˈdɛfn̩d	
deafening	ˈdɛfn̩ɪŋ	

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deal	diˑl	
deals	diˑlz	
dealt	dɛlt	
dealing	ˈdiˑlɪŋ	
dealer	ˈdiˑlə(r	ˈdiˑlə
dealers	ˈdiˑləz	ˈdiˑləz
dealings	ˈdiˑlɪŋz	
dear	dɪə	dɪə
dearer	ˈdɪərə(r	ˈdɪˑrə
dearest	ˈdɪərɪst	ˈdɪˑrɪst
dearly	ˈdɪəlɪ	ˈdɪəlɪ
dearness	ˈdɪənɪs	ˈdɪənɪs
death	dɛθ	
deaths	dɛθs	
debate	dɪˈbeɪt	
debates	dɪˑbeɪts	
debated	dɪˈbeɪtɪd	
debating	dɪˈbeɪtɪŋ	
debt	dɛt	
debts	dɛts	
debtor	ˈdɛtə(r	ˈdɛtə
debtors	ˈdɛtəz	ˈdɛtəz
decay	dɪˈkeɪ	
decays	dɪˈkeɪz	
decayed	dɪˈkeɪd	
decaying	dɪˈkeɪɪŋ	
deceased, *adj*	dɪˈsiˑst	
deceit	dɪˈsiˑt	
deceitful	dɪˈsiˑtfʊl	
deceive	dɪˈsiˑv	
deceives	dɪˈsiˑvz	
deceived	dɪˈsiˑvd	
deceiving	dɪˈsiˑvɪŋ	
December	dɪˈsɛmbə(r	dɪˈsɛmbə
decent	ˈdiˑsənt	
decently	ˈdiˑsəntlɪ	
deception	dɪˈsɛpʃən	
deceptions	dɪˈsɛpʃənz	
deceptive	dɪˈsɛptɪv	
decide	dɪˈsaɪd	
decides	dɪˈsaɪdz	
decided	dɪˈsaɪdɪd	
deciding	dɪˈsaɪdɪŋ	
decidedly	dɪˈsaɪdɪdlɪ	
decimal	ˈdɛsɪməl	
decimals	ˈdɛsɪməlz	
decipher	dɪˈsaɪfə(r	dɪˈsaɪfə

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deciphers	dɪ′saɪfəz	dɪ′saɪfəz
deciphered	dɪ′saɪfəd	dɪ′saɪfəd
deciphering	dɪ′saɪfərɪŋ	
decision	dɪ′sɪʒən	
decisions	dɪ′sɪʒənz	
decisive	dɪ′saɪsɪv	
decisively	dɪ′saɪsɪvlɪ	
deck	dɛk	
decks	dɛks	
declaration	dɛklə′reɪʃən	
declarations	dɛklə′reɪʃənz	
declare	dɪ′klɛə	dɪ′klɛə
declares	dɪ′klɛəz	dɪ′klɛəz
declared	dɪ′klɛəd	dɪ′klɛəd
declaring	dɪ′klɛərɪŋ	dɪ′klɛ·rɪŋ
declension	dɪ′klɛnʃən	
declensions	dɪ′klɛnʃənz	
decline	dɪ′klaɪn	
declines	dɪ′klaɪnz	
declined	dɪ′klaɪnd	
declining	dɪ′klaɪnɪŋ	
decompose	di·kəm′pouz	
decomposes	di·kəm′pouzɪz	
decomposed	dikəm′pouzd	
decomposing	di·kəm′pouzɪŋ	
decomposition	dikɒmpə′zɪʃən	dikɑmpə′zɪʃən
decorate	′dɛkəreɪt	
decorates	′dɛkəreɪts	
decorated	′dɛkəreɪtɪd	
decorating	′dɛkəreɪtɪŋ	
decorator	′dɛkəreɪtə(r	′dɛkəreɪtə
decorators	′dɛkəreɪtəz	′dɛkəreɪtəz
decoration	dɛkə′reɪʃən	
decorations	dɛkə′reɪʃənz	
decorative	′dɛkərətɪv	′dɛkəreɪtɪv
decoratively	′dɛkərətɪvlɪ	′dɛkəreɪtɪvlɪ
decrease, *noun*	′di·kris, di′kri·s	
decrease, *verb*	di′kri·s, dɪ′kri·s	
decreases	di′kri·sɪz, dɪ′kri·sɪz	
decreased	di′kri·st, dɪ′kri·st	
decreasing	di′kri·sɪŋ, dɪ′kri·sɪŋ	
decreasingly	di′kri·sɪŋlɪ, dɪ′kri·sɪŋlɪ	
decree	dɪ′kri·	
decrees	dɪ′kri·z	
dedicate	′dɛdɪkeɪt	
dedicates	′dɛdɪkeɪts	
dedicated	′dɛdɪkeɪtɪd	

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dedicating	ˈdɛdɪkeɪtɪŋ	
dedication	dɛdɪˈkeɪʃən	
dedications	dɛdɪˈkeɪʃənz	
deduce	dɪˈdjuˑs	
deduces	dɪˈdjuˑsɪz	
deduced	dɪˈdjuˑst	
deducing	dɪˈdjuˑsɪŋ	
deduct	dɪˈdʌkt	
deducts	dɪˈdʌkts	
deducted	dɪˈdʌktɪd	
deducting	dɪˈdʌktɪŋ	
deduction	dɪˈdʌkʃən	
deductions	dɪˈdʌkʃənz	
deed	diˑd	
deeds	diˑdz	
deep	diˑp	
deeper	ˈdiˑpə(r	ˈdiˑpə
deepest	ˈdiˑpɪst	
deeply	ˈdiˑplɪ	
deepen	ˈdiˑpən	
deepens	ˈdiˑpənz	
deepened	ˈdiˑpənd	
deepening	ˈdiˑpənɪŋ	
deer	dɪə(r	dɪə
default	dɪˈfɔˑlt, dɪˈfɒlt	
defaulter	dɪˈfɔˑltə(r, dɪˈfɒltə(r	dɪˈfɔˑltə
defaulters	dɪˈfɔˑltəz, dɪˈfɒltəz	dɪˈfɔˑltəz
defeat	dɪˈfiˑt	
defeats	dɪˈfiˑts	
defeated	dɪˈfiˑtɪd	
defeating	dɪˈfiˑtɪŋ	
defect	dɪˈfɛkt, ˈdiˈfɛkt	
defects	dɪˈfɛkts, ˈdiˈfɛkts	
defective	dɪˈfɛktɪv	
defectively	dɪˈfɛktɪvlɪ	
defence	dɪˈfɛns	
defences	dɪˈfɛnsɪz	
defenceless	dɪˈfɛnslɪs	
defend	dɪˈfɛnd	
defends	dɪˈfɛndz	
defended	dɪˈfɛndɪd	
defending	dɪˈfɛndɪŋ	
defender	dɪˈfɛndə(r	dɪˈfɛndə
defenders	dɪˈfɛndəz	dɪˈfɛndəz
defendant	dɪˈfɛndənt	
defendants	dɪˈfɛndənts	
defensive	dɪˈfɛnsɪv	

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defer	dɪˈfɜˑ(r	dɪˈfɜə
defers	dɪˈfɜˑz	dɪˈfɜəz
deferred	dɪˈfɜˑd	dɪˈfɜəd
deferring	dɪˈfɜˑrɪŋ	
deference	ˈdɛfərəns	
defiance	dɪˈfaɪəns	
defiant	dɪˈfaɪənt	
defiantly	dɪˈfaɪəntlɪ	
deficiency	dɪˈfɪʃənsɪ	
deficiencies	dɪˈfɪʃənsɪz	
deficient	dɪˈfɪʃənt	
deficit	ˈdɛfɪsɪt	
	ˈdiˑfɪsɪt	
deficits	ˈdɛfɪsɪts	
	ˈdɪˑfɪsɪts	
define	dɪˈfaɪn	
defines	dɪˈfaɪnz	
defined	dɪˈfaɪnd	
defining	dɪˈfaɪnɪŋ	
definite	ˈdɛfɪnɪt	
definitely	ˈdɛfɪnɪtlɪ	
definition	dɛfɪˈnɪʃən	
definitions	dɛfɪˈnɪʃənz	
deform	dɪˈfɔˑm	dɪˈfɔəm
deforms	dɪˈfɔˑmz	dɪˈfɔəmz
deformed	dɪˈfɔˑmd	dɪˈfɔəmd
deforming	dɪˈfɔˑmɪŋ	dɪˈfɔəmɪŋ
deformity	dɪˈfɔˑmɪtɪ	dɪˈfɔəmɪtɪ
deformities	dɪˈfɔˑmɪtɪz	dɪˈfɔəmɪtɪz
defraud	dɪˈfrɔˑd	
defrauds	dɪˈfrɔˑdz	
defrauded	dɪˈfrɔˑdɪd	
defrauding	dɪˈfrɔˑdɪŋ	
defy	dɪˈfaɪ	
defies	dɪˈfaɪz	
defied	dɪˈfaɪd	
defying	dɪˈfaɪɪŋ	
degenerate, *adj.*	dɪˈʤɛnərɪt	
degradation	dɛgrəˈdeɪʃən	
degrade	dɪˈgreɪd	
degrades	dɪˈgreɪdz	
degraded	dɪˈgreɪdɪd	
degrading	dɪˈgreɪdɪŋ	
degree	dɪˈgriˑ	
degrees	dɪˈgriˑz	
deject	dɪˈʤɛkt	
dejects	dɪˈʤɛkts	

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dejected	dɪ'ʤɛktɪd	
dejecting	dɪ'ʤɛktɪŋ	
dejection	dɪ'ʤɛkʃən	
delay	dɪ'leɪ	
delays	dɪ'leɪz	
delayed	dɪ'leɪd	
delaying	dɪ'leɪŋ	
delegate, *noun*	'dɛlɪgɪt, 'dɛlɪgeɪt	
delegates	'dɛlɪgɪts, 'dɛlɪgeɪts	
delegate, *verb*	'dɛlɪgeɪt	
delegates	'dɛlɪgeɪts	
delegated	'dɛlɪgeɪtɪd	
delegating	'dɛlɪgeɪtɪŋ	
delegation	dɛlɪ'geɪʃən	
delegations	dɛlɪ'geɪʃənz	
deliberate, *adj.*	dɪ'lɪbərɪt	
deliberately	dɪ'lɪbərɪtlɪ	
deliberate, *verb*	dɪ'lɪbəreɪt	
deliberates	dɪ'lɪbəreɪts	
deliberated	dɪ'lɪbəreɪtɪd	
deliberating	dɪ'lɪbəreɪtɪŋ	
deliberation	dɪlɪbə'reɪʃən	
deliberations	dɪlɪbə'reɪʃənz	
delicacy	'dɛlɪkəsɪ	
delicacies	'dɛlɪkəsɪz	
delicate	'dɛlɪkɪt	
delicately	'dɛlɪkɪtlɪ	
delicious	dɪ'lɪʃəs	
deliciously	dɪ'lɪʃəslɪ	
delight	dɪ'laɪt	
delights	dɪ'laɪts	
delighted	dɪ'laɪtɪd	
delighting	dɪ'laɪtɪŋ	
delightful	dɪ'laɪtful	
delightfully	dɪ'laɪtfəlɪ, dɪ'laɪtfulɪ	
delirious	dɪ'lɪrɪəs	
deliriously	dɪ'lɪrɪəslɪ	
deliver	dɪ'lɪvə(r	dɪ'lɪvə
delivers	dɪ'lɪvəz	dɪ'lɪvəz
delivered	dɪ'lɪvəd	dɪ'lɪvəd
delivering	dɪ'lɪvərɪŋ	
deliverance	dɪ'lɪvərəns	
deliverances	dɪ'lɪvərənsɪz	
delivery	dɪ'lɪvərɪ	
deliveries	dɪ'lɪvərɪz	
delude	dɪ'lju·d	
deludes	dɪ'lju·dz	

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deluded	dɪˈljuːdɪd	
deluding	dɪˈljuːdɪŋ	
deluge	ˈdɛljuːʤ	
deluges	ˈdɛljuːʤɪz	
delusion	dɪˈljuːʒən	
delusions	dɪˈljuːʒənz	
demand	dɪˈmɑːnd	dɪˈmæːnd
demands	dɪˈmɑːndz	dɪˈmæːndz
demanded	dɪˈmɑːndɪd	dɪˈmæːndɪd
demanding	dɪˈmɑːndɪŋ	dɪˈmæːndɪŋ
democracy	dɪˈmɒkrəsɪ	dɪˈmɑkrəsɪ
democracies	dɪˈmɒkrəsɪz	dɪˈmɑkrəsɪz
democrat	ˈdɛməkræt	
democrats	ˈdɛməkræts	
democratic	dɛməˈkrætɪk	
democratically	dɛməˈkrætɪkəlɪ	
demolish	dɪˈmɒlɪʃ	dɪˈmɑlɪʃ
demolishes	dɪˈmɒlɪʃɪz	dɪˈmɑlɪʃɪz
demolished	dɪˈmɒlɪʃt	dɪˈmɑlɪʃt
demolishing	dɪˈmɒlɪʃɪŋ	dɪˈmɑlɪʃɪŋ
demonstrate	ˈdɛmənstreɪt	
demonstrates	ˈdɛmənstreɪts	
demonstrated	ˈdɛmənstreɪtɪd	
demonstrating	ˈdɛmənstreɪtɪŋ	
demonstration	dɛmənsˈtreɪʃən	
demonstrations	dɛmənsˈtreɪʃənz	
demonstrative	dɪˈmɒnstrətɪv	dɪˈmɑnstrətɪv
demoralize	dɪˈmɒrəlaɪz	
demoralizes	dɪˈmɒrəlaɪzɪz	
demoralized	dɪˈmɒrəlaɪzd	
demoralizing	dɪˈmɒrəlaɪzɪŋ	
den	dɛn	
dens	dɛnz	
denial	dɪˈnaɪəl	
denials	dɪˈnaɪəlz	
Denmark	ˈdɛnmɑːk	ˈdɛnmɑək
dense	dɛns	
denser	ˈdɛnsə(r	ˈdɛnsə
densest	ˈdɛnsɪst	
densely	ˈdɛnslɪ	
density	ˈdɛnsɪtɪ	
dentist	ˈdɛntɪst	
dentists	ˈdɛntɪsts	
deny	dɪˈnaɪ	
denies	dɪˈnaɪz	
denied	dɪˈnaɪd	
denying	dɪˈnaɪɪŋ	

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depart	dɪ′pɑˑt	dɪ′pɑət
departs	dɪ′pɑˑts	dɪ′pɑəts
departed	dɪ′pɑˑtɪd	dɪ′pɑətɪd
departing	dɪ′pɑˑtɪŋ	dɪ′pɑətɪŋ
department	dɪ′pɑˑtmənt	dɪpɑətmənt
departments	dɪ′pɑˑtmənts	dɪ′pɑətmənts
departure	dɪ′pɑˑtʃə(r	dɪ′pɑətʃə
departures	dɪ′pɑˑtʃəz	dɪ′pɑətʃəz
depend	dɪ′pɛnd	
depends	dɪ′pɛndz	
depended	dɪ′pɛndɪd	
depending	dɪ′pɛndɪŋ	
dependant	dɪ′pɛndənt	
dependants	dɪ′pɛndənts	
deplorable	dɪ′plɔˑrəb̩l	dɪ′ploˑrəb̩l
deplorably	dɪ′plɔˑrəblɪ	dɪ′ploˑrəblɪ
deplore	dɪ′plɔˑ, dɪ′plɔə	dɪ′ploə
deplores	dɪplɔˑz, dɪ′plɔəz	dɪ′ploəz
deplored	dɪ′plɔˑd, dɪ′plɔəd	dɪ′ploəd
deploring	dɪ′plɔˑrɪŋ, dɪ′plɔərɪŋ	dɪ′ploˑrɪŋ
deport	dɪ′pɔˑt	dɪ′poət
deports	dɪ′pɔˑts	dɪ′poəts
deported	dɪ′pɔˑtɪd	dɪ′poətɪd
deporting	dɪ′pɔˑtɪŋ	dɪ′poətɪŋ
deportation	dipɔ′teɪʃən	dipoə′teɪʃən
deportations	dipɔ′teɪʃənz	dipoə′teɪʃənz
deposit	dɪ′pɒzɪt	dɪ′pɑzɪt
deposits	dɪ′pɒzɪts	dɪ′pɑzɪts
deposited	dɪ′pɒzɪtɪd	dɪ′pɑzɪtɪd
depositing	dɪ′pɒzɪtɪŋ	dɪ′pɑzɪtɪŋ
depositor	dɪ′pɒzɪtə(r	dɪ′pɑzɪtə
depositors	dɪ′pɒzɪtəz	dɪ′pɑzɪtəz
depot	′dɛpoʊ, ′diˑpoʊ	
depots	′dɛpoʊz, ′diˑpoʊz	
deprave	dɪpreɪv	
depraves	dɪ′preɪvz	
depraved	dɪ′preɪvd	
depraving	dɪ′preɪvɪŋ	
depravity	dɪ′prævɪtɪ	
depress	dɪ′prɛs	
depresses	dɪ′prɛsɪz	
depressed	dɪ′prɛst	
depressing	dɪ′prɛsɪŋ	
depression	dɪ′preʃən	
depressions	dɪ′preʃənz	
deprivation	dɛprɪ′veɪʃən	
deprivations	dɛprɪ′veɪʃənz	

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deprive	dɪ′praɪv	
deprives	dɪ′praɪvz	
deprived	dɪ′praɪvd	
depriving	dɪ′praɪvɪŋ	
depth	dɛpθ	
depths	dɛpθs	
deputation	dɛpjʊ′teɪʃən	
deputations	dɛpjʊ′teɪʃənz	
depute	dɪ′pjʊˑt	
deputes	dɪ′pjʊˑts	
deputed	dɪ′pjʊˑtɪd	
deputing	dɪ′pjʊˑtɪŋ	
deputy	′dɛpjʊtɪ	
deputies	′dɛpjʊtɪz	
derivation	dɛrɪ′veɪʃən	
derivations	dɛrɪ′veɪʃənz	
derivative	dɪ′rɪvətɪv	
derivatives	dɪ′rɪvətɪvz	
derive	dɪ′raɪv	
derives	dɪ′raɪvz	
derived	dɪ′raɪvd	
deriving	dɪ′raɪvɪŋ	
descend	dɪ′sɛnd	
descends	dɪ′sɛndz	
descended	dɪ′sɛndɪd	
descending	dɪ′sɛndɪŋ	
descendant	dɪ′sɛndənt	
descendants	dɪ′sɛndənts	
descent	dɪ′sɛnt	
descents	dɪ′sɛnts	
describe	dɪs′kraɪb	
describes	dɪs′kraɪbz	
described	dɪs′kraɪbd	
describing	dɪs′kraɪbɪŋ	
description	dɪs′krɪpʃən	
descriptions	dɪs′krɪpʃənz	
descriptive	dɪs′krɪptɪv	
desecrate	′dɛsɪkreɪt	
desecrates	′dɛsɪkreɪts	
desecrated	′dɛsɪkreɪtɪd	
desecrating	′dɛsɪkreɪtɪŋ	
desecration	dɛsɪ′kreɪʃən	
desecrations	dɛsɪ′kreɪʃənz	
desert, *noun*	′dɛzət	′dɛzət
deserts	′dɛzəts	′dɛzəts
desert, *verb*	dɪ′zɜˑt	dɪ′zɜət
deserts	dɪ′zɜˑts	dɪ′zɜəts

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deserted	dɪ′zɜ·tɪd	dɪ′zɜətɪd
deserting	dɪ′zɜ·tɪŋ	dɪ′sɜətɪŋ
deserter	dɪ′zɜ·tə(r	dɪ′zɜətə
deserters	dɪ′zɜ·təz	dɪ′zɜətəz
desertion	dɪ′zɜ·ʃən	dɪ′zɜəʃən
desertions	dɪ′zɜ·ʃənz	dɪ′zɜəʃənz
deserve	dɪ′zɜ·v	dɪ′zɜəv
deserves	dɪ′zɜ·vz	dɪ′zɜəvz
deserved	dɪ′zɜ·vd	dɪ′zɜəvd
deserving	dɪ′zɜ·vɪŋ	dɪ′zɜəvɪŋ
deservedly	dɪ′zɜ·vɪdlɪ	dɪ′zɜəvɪdlɪ
design	dɪ′zaɪn	
designs	dɪ′zaɪnz	
designed	dɪ′zaɪnd	
designing	dɪ′zaɪnɪŋ	
designer	dɪ′zaɪnə(r	dɪ′zaɪnə
designers	dɪ′zaɪnəz	dɪ′zaɪnəz
designate	′dɛzɪgneɪt	
designates	′dɛzɪgneɪts	
designated	′dɛzɪgneɪtɪd	
designating	′dɛzɪgneɪtɪŋ	
designation	dɛzɪg′neɪʃən	
designations	dɛzɪg′neɪʃənz	
desirability	dɪzaɪərə′bɪlɪtɪ	dɪzaɪrə′bɪlɪtɪ
desirable	dɪ′zaɪərəb̩	dɪ′zaɪrəb̩
desirably	dɪ′zaɪərəblɪ	dɪ′zaɪrəblɪ
desire	dɪ′zaɪə(r	dɪ′zaɪə
desires	dɪ′zaɪəz	dɪ′zaɪəz
desired	dɪ′zaɪəd	dɪ′zaɪəd
desiring	dɪ′zaɪərɪŋ	dɪ′zaɪrɪŋ
desirous	dɪ′zaɪərəs	dɪ′zaɪrəs
desk	dɛsk	
desks	dɛsks	
desolate	′dɛsəlɪt	
despair	dɪs′pɛə(r	dɪs′pɛə
despairs	dɪs′pɛəz	dɪs′pɛəz
despaired	dɪs′pɛəd	dɪs′pɛəd
despairing	dɪs′pɛərɪŋ	dɪs′pɛ·rɪŋ
despatch	dɪs′pætʃ	
despatches	dɪs′pætʃɪz	
despatched	dɪs′pætʃt	
despatching	dɪs′pætʃɪŋ	
desperate	′dɛspərɪt	
desperately	′dɛspərɪtlɪ	
desperation	dɛspə′reɪʃən	
despise	dɪs′paɪz	
despises	dɪs′paɪzɪz	

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despised	dɪs′paɪzd	
despising	dɪs′paɪzɪŋ	
despite	dɪs′paɪt	
dessert	dɪ′zɜ·t	dɪ′zɜət
destination	dɛstɪ′neɪʃən	
destinations	dɛstɪ′neɪʃənz	
destiny	′dɛstɪnɪ	
destinies	′dɛstɪnɪz	
destitute	′dɛstɪtjut	
destitution	dɛstɪ′tju·ʃən	
destroy	dɪs′trɔɪ	
destroys	dɪs′trɔɪz	
destroyed	dɪs′trɔɪd	
destroying	dɪs′trɔɪŋ	
destroyer	dɪs′trɔɪə(r	dɪs′trɔɪə
destroyers	dɪs′trɔɪəz	dɪs′trɔɪəz
destructible	dɪs′trʌktəb|	
destruction	dɪs′trʌkʃən	
destructive	dɪs′trʌktɪv	
destructively	dɪs′trʌktɪvlɪ	
destructiveness	dɪs′trʌktɪvnɪs	
detach	dɪ′tætʃ	
detaches	dɪ′tætʃɪz	
detached	dɪ′tætʃt	
detaching	dɪ′tætʃɪŋ	
detachment	dɪ′tætʃmənt	
detail, *noun*	′di·teɪl, dɪ′teɪl	
details	′di·teɪlz, dɪ′teɪlz	
detail, *verb*	dɪ′teɪl	
details	dɪ′teɪlz	
detailed	dɪ′teɪld	
detailing	dɪ′teɪlɪŋ	
detain	dɪ′teɪn	
detains	dɪ′teɪnz	
detained	dɪ′teɪnd	
detaining	dɪ′teɪnɪŋ	
detect	dɪ′tɛkt	
detects	dɪ′tɛkts	
detected	dɪ′tɛktɪd	
detecting	dɪ′tɛktɪŋ	
detection	dɪ′tɛkʃən	
detective	dɪ′tɛktɪv	
detectives	dɪ′tɛktɪvz	
deter	dɪ′tɜ·(r	dɪ′tɜə
deters	dɪ′tɜ·z	dɪ′tɜəz
deterred	dɪ′tɜ·d	dɪ′tɜəd
deterring	dɪ′tɜ·rɪŋ	

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deteriorate	dɪ'tɪərɪəreɪt	dɪ'tɪ·rɪəreɪt
deteriorates	dɪ'tɪərɪəreɪts	dɪ'tɪ·rɪəreɪts
deteriorated	dɪ'tɪərɪəreɪtɪd	dɪ'tɪ·rɪəreɪtɪd
deteriorating	dɪ'tɪərɪəreɪtɪŋ	dɪ'tɪ·rɪəreɪtɪŋ
deterioration	dɪtɪərɪə'reɪʃən	dɪtɪ·rɪə'reɪʃən
determinative	dɪ't·əmɪneɪtɪv	dɪ'tɜəmɪneɪtɪv
	dɪ'tə·mɪnətɪv	dɪ'tɜəmɪnətɪv
determine	dɪ'tə·mɪn	dɪ'tɜəmɪn
determines	dɪ'tə·mɪnz	dɪ'tɜəmɪnz
determined	dɪ'tə·mɪnd	dɪ'tɜəmɪnd
determining	dɪ'tə·mɪnɪŋ	dɪ'tɜəmɪnɪŋ
detest	dɪ'tɛst	
detests	dɪ'tɛsts	
detested	dɪ'tɛstɪd	
detesting	dɪ'tɛstɪŋ	
detestable	dɪ'tɛstəbl̩	
detestably	dɪ'tɛstəblɪ	
detestation	dɪtɛs'teɪʃən	
detract	dɪ'trækt	
detracts	dɪ'trækts	
detracted	dɪ'træktɪd	
detracting	dɪ'træktɪŋ	
detriment	'dɛtrɪmənt	
detrimental	dɛtrɪ'mɛntəl	
devastate	'dɛvəsteɪt	
devastates	'dɛvəsteɪts	
devastated	'dɛvəsteɪtɪd	
devastating	'dɛvəsteɪtɪŋ	
devastation	dɛvəs'teɪʃən	
develop	dɪ'vɛləp	
develops	dɪ'vɛləps	
developed	dɪ'vɛləpt	
developing	dɪ'vɛləpɪŋ	
developer	dɪ'vɛləpə(r	dɪ'vɛləpə
developers	dɪ'vɛləpəz	dɪ'vɛləpəz
development	dɪ'vɛləpmənt	
developments	dɪ'vɛləpmənts	
deviate	'di·vɪeɪt	
deviates	'di·vɪeɪts	
deviated	'di·vɪeɪtɪd	
deviating	'di·vɪeɪtɪŋ	
deviation	dɪvɪ'eɪʃən	
deviations	dɪvɪ'eɪʃənz	
device	dɪ'vaɪs	
devices	dɪ'vaɪsɪz	
devil	'dɛvɪl	
devils	'dɛvɪlz	

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devious	ˈdiːvɪəs	
deviously	ˈdiːvɪəslɪ	
devise	dɪˈvaɪz	
devises	dɪˈvaɪzɪz	
devised	dɪˈvaɪzd	
devising	dɪˈvaɪzɪŋ	
devoid	dɪˈvɔɪd	
devote	dɪˈvoʊt	
devotes	dɪˈvoʊts	
devoted	dɪˈvoʊtɪd	
devoting	dɪˈvoʊtɪŋ	
devotedly	dɪˈvoʊtɪdlɪ	
devotion	dɪˈvoʊʃən	
devotions	dɪˈvoʊʃənz	
devour	dɪˈvaʊə(r	dɪˈvaʊə
devours	dɪˈvaʊəz	dɪˈvaʊəz
devoured	dɪˈvaʊəd	dɪˈvaʊəd
devouring	dɪˈvaʊərɪŋ	dɪˈvaʊrɪŋ
devout	dɪˈvaʊt	
devouter	dɪˈvaʊtə(r	dɪˈvaʊtə
devoutest	dɪˈvaʊtɪst	
devoutly	dɪˈvaʊtlɪ	
dew	djuˈ	
diabolical	daɪəˈbɒlɪkəl	daɪəˈbɑlɪkəl
diabolically	daɪəˈbɒlɪkəlɪ	daɪəˈbɑlɪkəlɪ
diacritic	daɪəˈkrɪtɪk	
diacritics	daɪəˈkrɪtɪks	
diacritical	daɪəˈkrɪtɪkəl	
diagnose	ˈdaɪəgnoʊz	ˈdaɪəgnous
diagnoses	ˈdaɪəgnoʊzɪz	ˈdaɪəgnousɪz
diagnosed	ˈdaɪəgnoʊzd	ˈdaɪəgnoust
diagnosing	ˈdaɪəgnoʊzɪŋ	ˈdaɪəgnousɪŋ
diagnosis	daɪəgˈnoʊsɪs	
diagnoses	daɪəgˈnoʊsiz	
diagonal	daɪˈægən|	
diagonals	daɪˈægən|z	
diagonally	daɪˈægənəlɪ	
diagram	ˈdaɪəgræm	
diagrams	ˈdaɪəgræmz	
dial	ˈdaɪəl	
dials	ˈdaɪəlz	
dialect	ˈdaɪəlɛkt	
dialects	ˈdaɪəlɛkts	
dialectal	daɪəˈlɛkt|	
dialogue	ˈdaɪəlɒg	
dialogues	ˈdaɪəlɒgz	
diameter	daɪˈæmɪtə(r	daɪˈæmɪtə

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diameters	daɪ'æmɪtəz	daɪ'æmɪtəz
diametrical	daɪə'mɛtrɪkəl	
diametrically	daɪə'mɛtrɪkəlɪ	
diamond	'daɪəmənd	
diamonds	'daɪəməndz	
diary	'daɪərɪ	
diaries	'daɪərɪz	
dictate, *verb*	dɪk'teɪt	
dictates	dɪk'teɪts	
dictated	dɪk'teɪtɪd	
dictating	dɪk'teɪtɪŋ	
dictator	dɪk'teɪtə(r	dɪk'teɪtə
dictators	dɪk'teɪtəz	dɪk'teɪtəz
dictation	dɪk'teɪʃən	
dictionary	'dɪkʃənərɪ	'dɪkʃənɛrɪ
dictionaries	'dɪkʃənərɪz	'dɪkʃənɛrɪz
DID *from* do	dɪd	
DIDN'T *from* did not	'dɪdn̩t	
die	daɪ	
dies	daɪz	
died	daɪd	
dying	'daɪɪŋ	
diet	'daɪət	
diets	'daɪəts	
differ	'dɪfə(r	'dɪfə
differs	'dɪfəz	'dɪfəz
differed	'dɪfəd	'dɪfəd
differing	'dɪfərɪŋ	
difference	'dɪfrəns	
differences	'dɪfrənsɪz	
different	'dɪfrənt	
differently	'dɪfrəntlɪ	
difficult	'dɪfɪkəlt	
difficulty	'dɪfɪkəltɪ	
difficulties	'dɪfɪkəltɪz	
dig	dɪg	
digs	dɪgz	
dug	dʌg	
digging	'dɪgɪŋ	
digest, *noun*	'daɪʤɛst	
digests	'daɪʤɛsts	
digest, *verb*	dɪ'ʤɛst, daɪ'ʤɛst	
digests	dɪ'ʤɛsts, daɪ'ʤɛsts	
digested	dɪ'ʤɛstɪd daɪ'ʤɛstɪd	
digesting	dɪ'ʤɛstɪŋ daɪ'ʤɛstɪŋ	

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digestible	dɪ'ʤɛstəb|	
	daɪ'ʤɛstəb|	
digestion	dɪ'ʤɛstʃən	
	daɪ'ʤɛstʃən	
digestions	dɪ'ʤɛstʃənz	
	daɪ'ʤɛstʃənz	
dignify	'dɪgnɪfaɪ	
dignifies	'dɪgnɪfaɪz	
dignified	'dɪgnɪfaɪd	
dignifying	'dɪgnɪfaɪɪŋ	
dignity	'dɪgnɪtɪ	
dignities	'dɪgnɪtɪz	
dilemma	dɪ'lɛmə, daɪ'lɛmə	
dilemmas	dɪ'lɛməz, daɪ'lɛməz	
diligence	'dɪlɪʤəns	
diligent	'dɪlɪʤənt	
diligently	'dɪlɪʤəntlɪ	
dilute	daɪ'lju·t, dɪ'lju·t	
dilutes	daɪ'lju·ts, dɪ'lju·ts	
diluted	daɪ'lju·tɪd	
	dɪ'lju·tɪd	
diluting	daɪ'lju·tɪŋ	
	dɪ'lju·tɪŋ	
dim	dɪm	
dimmer	'dɪmə(r	'dɪmə
dimmest	'dɪmɪst	
dime	daɪm	
dimes	daɪmz	
dimly	'dɪmlɪ	
dimness	'dɪmnɪs	
dimension	dɪ'mɛnʃən	
	daɪ'mɛnʃən	
dimensions	dɪ'mɛnʃənz	
	daɪ'mɛnʃənz	
diminish	dɪ'mɪnɪʃ	
diminishes	dɪ'mɪnɪʃɪz	
diminished	dɪ'mɪnɪʃt	
diminishing	dɪ'mɪnɪʃɪŋ	
diminution	dɪmɪ'nju·ʃən	
diminutions	dɪmɪ'nju·ʃənz	
dine	daɪn	
dines	daɪnz	
dined	daɪnd	
dining	'daɪnɪŋ	
diner	'daɪnə(r	'daɪnə
diners	'daɪnəz	'daɪnəz
dingy	'dɪnʤɪ	

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dining-room	ˈdaɪnɪŋrʊm ˈdaɪnɪŋrʊm	
dining-rooms	ˈdaɪnɪŋrʊmz ˈdaɪnɪŋrʊmz	
dinner	ˈdɪnə(r	ˈdɪnə
dinners	ˈdɪnəz	ˈdɪnəz
dint	dɪnt	
dip	dɪp	
dips	dɪps	
dipped	dɪpt	
dipping	ˈdɪpɪŋ	
diphthong	ˈdɪfθɒŋ	
diphthongs	ˈdɪfθɒŋz	
diploma	dɪˈploʊmə	
diplomas	dɪˈploʊməz	
diplomacy	dɪˈploʊməsɪ	
diplomat	ˈdɪploʊmæt ˈdɪpləmæt	
diplomats	ˈdɪploʊmæts ˈdɪpləmæts	
diplomatic	dɪploʊˈmætɪk dɪpləˈmætɪk	
diplomatically	dɪploʊˈmætɪkəlɪ dɪpləˈmætɪkəlɪ	
diplomatist	dɪˈploʊmətɪst	
diplomatists	dɪˈploʊmətɪsts	
direct	dɪˈrɛkt, daɪˈrɛkt	
directs	dɪˈrɛkts, daɪˈrɛkts	
directed	dɪˈrɛktɪd, daɪˈrɛktɪd	
directing	dɪˈrɛktɪŋ, daɪˈrɛktɪŋ	
director	dɪˈrɛktə(r, daɪˈrɛktə(r	dɪˈrɛktə, daɪˈrɛktə
directors	dɪˈrɛktəz, daɪˈrɛktəz	dɪˈrɛktəz, daɪˈrɛktəz
direction	dɪˈrɛkʃən, daɪˈrɛkʃən	
directions	dɪˈrɛkʃənz daɪˈrɛkʃənz	
directly	dɪˈrɛktlɪ, daɪˈrɛktlɪ	
directory	dɪˈrɛktərɪ, daɪˈrɛktərɪ	
directories	dɪˈrɛktərɪz daɪˈrɛktərɪz	
dirt	dəːt	dəət
dirty	ˈdəːtɪ	ˈdəətɪ
dirtier	ˈdəːtɪə(r	ˈdəətɪə
dirtiest	ˈdəːtɪst	ˈdəətɪst
dirties	ˈdəːtɪz	ˈdəətɪz
dirtied	ˈdəːtɪd	ˈdəətɪd
dirtying	ˈdəːtɪɪŋ	ˈdəətɪɪŋ
disadvantage	dɪsəd′vɑːntɪʤ	dɪsəd′vaːntɪʤ

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disadvantages	dɪsəd'vɑːntɪʤɪz	dɪsəd'vaːntɪʤɪz
disadvantageous	dɪsædvən'teɪʤəs dɪsædvən'teɪʤəs	dɪsædvan'teɪʤəs
disagree	dɪsə'griː	
disagrees	dɪsə'griːz	
disagreed	dɪsə'griːd	
disagreeing	dɪsə'griːɪŋ	
disagreement	dɪsə'griːmənt	
disagreements	dɪsə'griːmənts	
disagreeable	dɪsə'grɪəbḷ	
disagreeably	dɪsə'grɪəblɪ	
disappear	dɪsə'pɪə(r	dɪsə'pɪə
disappears	dɪsə'pɪəz	dɪsə'pɪəz
disappeared	dɪsə'pɪəd	dɪsə'pɪəd
disappearing	dɪsə'pɪərɪŋ	dɪsə'pɪrɪŋ
disappearance	dɪsə'pɪərəns	dɪsə'pɪrəns
disappearances	dɪsə'pɪərənsɪz	dɪsə'pɪrənsɪz
disappoint	dɪsə'pɔɪnt	
disappoints	dɪsə'pɔɪnts	
disappointed	dɪsə'pɔɪntɪd	
disappointing	dɪsə'pɔɪntɪŋ	
disappointment	dɪsə'pɔɪntmənt	
disappointments	dɪsə'pɔɪntmənts	
disapproval	dɪsə'pruːvḷ	
disapprove	dɪsə'pruːv	
disapproves	dɪsə'pruːvz	
disapproved	dɪsə'pruːvd	
disapproving	dɪsə'pruːvɪŋ	
disarm	dɪs'ɑːm	dɪs'ɑəm
disarms	dɪs'ɑːmz	dɪs'ɑəmz
disarmed	dɪs'ɑːmd	dɪs'ɑəmd
disarming	dɪs'ɑːmɪŋ	dɪs'ɑəmɪŋ
disarmament	dɪs'ɑːməmənt	dɪs'ɑəməmənt
disarrange	'dɪsə'reɪnʤ	
disarranges	'dɪsə'reɪnʤɪz	
disarranged	'dɪsə'reɪnʤd	
disarranging	'dɪsə'reɪnʤɪŋ	
disaster	dɪ'zɑːstə(r	dɪ'zaːstə
disasters	dɪ'zɑːstəz	dɪ'zaːstəz
disastrous	dɪ'zɑːstrəs	dɪ'zaːstrəs
disastrously	dɪ'zɑːstrəslɪ	dɪ'zaːstrəslɪ
disbelief	'dɪsbɪ'liːf	
disbelieve	'dɪsbɪ'liːv	
disbelieves	'dɪsbɪ'liːvz	
disbelieved	'dɪsbɪ'liːvd	
disbelieving	'dɪsbɪ'liːvɪŋ	
disc	dɪsk	

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discs	dɪsks	
discharge	dɪs′tʃɑ·ʤ	dɪs′tʃɑəʤ
discharges	dɪs′tʃɑ·ʤɪz	dɪs′tʃɑəʤɪz
discharged	dɪs′tʃɑ·ʤd	dɪs′tʃɑəʤd
discharging	dɪs′tʃɑ·ʤɪŋ	dɪs′tʃɑəʤɪŋ
disciple	dɪ′saɪp|	
disciples	dɪ′saɪp|z	
discipline	′dɪsɪplɪn	
disciplines	′dɪsɪplɪnz	
disciplined	′dɪsɪplɪnd	
disciplining	′dɪsɪplɪnɪŋ	
disciplinary	′dɪsɪplɪnərɪ	′dɪsɪplɪnɛrɪ
disclaim	dɪs′kleɪm	
disclaims	dɪs′kleɪmz	
disclaimed	dɪs′kleɪmd	
disclaiming	dɪs′kleɪmɪŋ	
disclose	dɪs′klouz	
discloses	dɪs′klouzɪz	
disclosed	dɪs′klouzd	
disclosing	dɪs′klouzɪŋ	
disclosure	dɪs′klouʒə(r	dɪs′klouʒə
disclosures	dɪs′klouʒəz	dɪs′klouʒəz
discomfort	dɪs′kʌmfət	dɪs′kʌmfət
discomforts	dɪs′kʌmfəts	dɪs′kʌmfəts
discomforted	dɪs′kʌmfətɪd	dɪs′kʌmfətɪd
discomforting	dɪs′kʌmfətɪŋ	dɪs′kʌmfətɪŋ
disconcert	dɪskən′sə·t	dɪskən′sɜət
disconcerts	dɪskən′sə·ts	dɪskən′sɜəts
disconcerted	dɪskən′sə·tɪd	dɪskən′sɜətɪd
disconcerting	dɪskən′sə·tɪŋ	dɪskən′sɜətɪŋ
disconnect	′dɪskə′nɛkt	
disconnects	′dɪskə′nɛkts	
disconnected	′dɪskə′nɛktɪd	
disconnecting	′dɪskə′nɛktɪŋ	
discontent	′dɪskən′tɛnt	
discontented	′dɪskən′tɛntɪd	
discontinue	′dɪskən′tɪnju	
discontinues	′dɪskən′tɪnjuz	
discontinued	′dɪskən′tɪnjud	
discontinuing	′dɪskən′tɪnjuɪŋ	
discord, *noun*	′dɪskɔ·d	′dɪskɔəd
discords	′dɪskɔ·dz	′dɪskɔədz
discount, *noun*	′dɪskaʊnt	
discounts	′dɪskaʊnts	
discount, *verb*	dɪs′kaʊnt, ′dɪskaʊnt	
discounts	dɪs′kaʊnts ′dɪskaʊnts,	

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discounted	dɪs′kaʊntɪd	
	′dɪskaʊntɪd	
discounting	dɪs′kaʊntɪŋ	
	′dɪskaʊntɪŋ	
discourage	dɪs′kʌrɪʤ	dɪs′kə·rɪʤ
discourages	dɪs′kʌrɪʤɪz	dɪs′kə·rɪʤɪz
discouraged	dɪs′kʌrɪʤd	dɪs′kə·rɪʤd
discouraging	dɪs′kʌrɪʤɪŋ	dɪs′kə·rɪʤɪŋ
discouragement	dɪs′kʌrɪʤmənt	dɪs′kə·rɪʤmənt
discouragements	dɪs′kʌrɪʤmənts	dɪs′kə·rɪʤmənts
discourse, *noun*	′dɪskɔs	′dɪskoəs
discourses	′dɪskɔsɪz	′dɪskoəsɪz
discourteous	dɪs′kə·tjəs	dɪs′kəətɪəs
	dɪs′kə·tɪəs	
discourteously	dɪs′kə·tjəslɪ	dɪs′kəətɪəslɪ
	dɪs′kə·tɪəslɪ	
discourtesy	dɪs′kə·tɪsɪ	dɪs′kəətɪsɪ
discover	dɪs′kʌvə(r	dɪs′kʌvə
discovers	dɪs′kʌvəz	dɪs′kʌvəz
discovered	dɪs′kʌvəd	dɪs′kʌvəd
discovering	dɪs′kʌvərɪŋ	
discoverer	dɪs′kʌvərə(r	dɪs′kʌvərə
discoverers	dɪs′kʌvərəz	dɪs′kʌvərəz
discovery	dɪs′kʌvərɪ	
discoveries	dɪs′kʌvərɪz	
discredit	dɪs′krɛdɪt	
discredits	dɪs′krɛdɪts	
discredited	dɪs′krɛdɪtɪd	
discrediting	dɪs′krɛdɪtɪŋ	
discreditable	dɪs′krɛdɪtəbl̩	
discreet	dɪs′kri·t	
discreetly	dɪs′kri·tlɪ	
discretion	dɪs′krɛʃən	
discriminate, *verb*	dɪs′krɪmɪneɪt	
discriminates	dɪs′krɪmɪneɪts	
discriminated	dɪs′krɪmɪneɪtɪd	
discriminating	dɪs′krɪmɪneɪtɪŋ	
discrimination	dɪskrɪmɪ′neɪʃən	
discuss	dɪs′kʌs	
discusses	dɪs′kʌsɪz	
discussed	dɪs′kʌst	
discussing	dɪs′kʌsɪŋ	
discussion	dɪs′kʌʃən	
discussions	dɪs′kʌʃənz	
disdain	dɪs′deɪn	
disdains	dɪs′deɪnz	
disdained	dɪs′deɪnd	

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disdaining	dɪs′deɪnɪŋ	
disdainful	dɪs′deɪnful	
disdainfully	dɪs′deɪnfəlɪ	
	dɪs′deɪnfulɪ	
disease	dɪ′ziˑz	
diseases	dɪ′ziˑzɪz	
diseased	dɪ′ziˑzd	
disengage	′dɪsɪn′geɪʤ	
disengages	′dɪsɪn′geɪʤɪz	
disengaged	′dɪsɪn′geɪʤd	
disengaging	′dɪsɪn′geɪʤɪŋ	
disfavour	′dɪs′feɪvə(r	′dɪs′feɪvə
disfigure	dɪs′fɪgə(r	dɪs′fɪgjə
disfigures	dɪs′fɪgəz	dɪs′fɪgjəz
disfigured	dɪs′fɪgəd	dɪs′fɪgjəd
disfiguring	dɪs′fɪgərɪŋ	
disfigurement	dɪs′fɪgəmənt	dɪs′fɪgjəmənt
disfigurements	dɪs′fɪgəments	dɪs′fɪgjəmənts
disgrace	dɪs′greɪs	
disgraces	dɪs′greɪsɪz	
disgraced	dɪs′greɪst	
disgracing	dɪs′greɪsɪŋ	
disgraceful	dɪs′greɪsful	
disgracefully	dɪs′greɪsfəlɪ	
disguise	dɪs′gaɪz	
disguises	dɪs′gaɪzɪz	
disguised	dɪs′gaɪzd	
disguising	dɪs′gaɪzɪŋ	
disgust	dɪs′gʌst	
disgusts	dɪs′gʌsts	
disgusted	dɪs′gʌstɪd	
disgusting	dɪs′gʌstɪŋ	
dish	dɪʃ	
dishes	′dɪʃɪz	
dishearten	dɪs′haˑtn̩-	dɪs′haətn̩
disheartens	dɪs′haˑtn̩z	dɪs′haətn̩z
disheartened	dɪs′haˑtn̩d	dɪs′haətn̩d
disheartening	dɪs′haˑtn̩ɪŋ	dɪs′haətn̩ɪŋ
dishonest	dɪs′ɒnɪst	dɪs′anɪst
dishonestly	dɪs′ɒnɪstlɪ	dɪs′anɪstlɪ
dishonesty	dɪs′ɒnɪstɪ	dɪs′anɪstɪ
dishonour	dɪs′ɒnə(r	dɪs′anə
dishonours	dɪs′ɒnəz	dɪs′anəz
dishonoured	dɪs′ɒnəd	dɪs′anəd
dishonouring	dɪs′ɒnərɪŋ	dɪs′anərɪŋ
dishonourable	dɪs′ɒnərəbl̩	dɪs′anərəbl̩
dishonourably	dɪs′ɒnərəblɪ	dɪs′anərəblɪ

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disinclination	dɪsɪnklɪˈneɪʃən	
disinclined	ˈdɪsɪnˈklaɪnd	
disinfect	ˈdɪsɪnˈfɛkt	
disinfects	ˈdɪsɪnˈfɛkts	
disinfected	ˈdɪsɪnˈfɛktɪd	
disinfecting	ˈdɪsɪnˈfɛktɪŋ	
disinfectant	dɪsɪnˈfɛktənt	
disinfectants	dɪsɪnˈfɛktənts	
disinterested	dɪsˈɪntərɪstɪd	
disinterestedly	dɪsˈɪntərɪstɪdlɪ	
disinterestedness	dɪsˈɪntərɪstɪdnɪs	
disk	dɪsk	
disks	dɪsks	
dislike	dɪsˈlaɪk	
dislikes	dɪsˈlaɪks	
disliked	dɪsˈlaɪkt	
disliking	dɪsˈlaɪkɪŋ	
disloyal	ˈdɪsˈlɔɪəl	
disloyalty	ˈdɪsˈlɔɪəltɪ	
dismal	ˈdɪzməl	
dismally	ˈdɪzməlɪ	
dismiss	dɪsˈmɪs	
dismisses	dɪsˈmɪsɪz	
dismissed	dɪsˈmɪst	
dismissing	dɪsˈmɪsɪŋ	
dismissal	dɪsˈmɪsl̩	
dismissals	dɪsˈmɪsl̩z	
dismount	ˈdɪsˈmaʊnt	
dismounts	ˈdɪsˈmaʊnts	
dismounted	ˈdɪsˈmaʊntɪd	
dismounting	ˈdɪsˈmaʊntɪŋ	
disobedience	dɪsəˈbiːdjəns	
	dɪsəˈbiːdɪəns	
disobedient	dɪsəˈbiːdjənt	
	dɪsəˈbiːdɪənt	
disobey	ˈdɪsəˈbeɪ	
disobeys	ˈdɪsəˈbeɪz	
disobeyed	ˈdɪsəˈbeɪd	
disobeying	ˈdɪsəˈbeɪɪŋ	
disobliging	ˈdɪsəˈblaɪʤɪŋ	
disorder	dɪsˈɔːdə(r	dɪsˈɔədə
disorders	dɪsˈɔːdəz	dɪsˈɔədəz
disordered	dɪsˈɔːdəd	dɪsˈɔədəd
disordering	dɪsˈɔːdərɪŋ	dɪsˈɔədərɪŋ
disorderly	dɪsˈɔːdəlɪ	dɪsˈɔədəlɪ
dispatch	dɪsˈpætʃ	
dispatches	dɪsˈpætʃɪz	

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dispatched	dɪs′pætʃt	
dispatching	dɪs′pætʃɪŋ	
dispel	dɪs′pɛl	
dispels	dɪs′pɛlz	
dispelled	dɪs′pɛld	
dispelling	dɪs′pɛlɪŋ	
dispense	dɪs′pɛns	
dispenses	dɪs′pɛnsɪz	
dispensed	dɪs′pɛnst	
dispensing	dɪs′pɛnsɪŋ	
disperse	dɪs′pɜ·s	dɪs′pɜəs
disperses	dɪs′pɜ·sɪz	dɪs′pɜəsɪz
dispersed	dɪs′pɜ·st	dɪs′pɜəst
dispersing	dɪs′pɜ·sɪŋ	dɪs′pɜəsɪŋ
displace	dɪs′pleɪs	
displaces	dɪs′pleɪsɪz	
displaced	dɪs′pleɪst	
displacing	dɪs′pleɪsɪŋ	
display	dɪs′pleɪ	
displays	dɪs′pleɪz	
displayed	dɪs′pleɪd	
displaying	dɪs′pleɪɪŋ	
displease	dɪs′pli·z	
displeases	dɪs′pli·zɪz	
displeased	dɪs′pli·zd	
displeasing	dɪs′pli·zɪŋ	
displeasure	dɪs′plɛʒə(r	dɪs′plɛʒə
dispose	dɪs′pouz	
disposes	dɪs′pouzɪz	
disposed	dɪs′pouzd	
disposing	dɪs′pouzɪŋ	
disposition	dɪspə′zɪʃən	
dispositions	dɪspə′zɪʃənz	
disproportion	′dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃən	′dɪsprə′poəʃən
disproportioned	′dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃənd	′dɪsprə′poəʃənd
disproportional	dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃən|	dɪsprə′poəʃən|
disproportionally	dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃən|ɪ	dɪsprə′poəʃən|ɪ
disproportionate	dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃənɪt	dɪsprə′poəʃənɪt
disproportionately	dɪsprə′pɔ·ʃənɪtlɪ	dɪsprə′poəʃənɪtlɪ
disprove	′dɪs′pru·v	
disproves	′dɪs′pru·vz	
disproved	′dɪs′pru·vd	
disproving	′dɪs′pru·vɪŋ	
disputable	′dɪspjutəb|	
dispute	dɪs′pju·t	
disputes	dɪs′pju·ts	
disputed	dɪs′pju·tɪd	

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disputing	dɪs'pju·tɪŋ	
disqualification	dɪskwɒlɪfɪ'keɪʃən	dɪskwɑlɪfɪ'keɪʃən
disqualifications	dɪskwɒlɪfɪ'keɪʃənz	dɪskwɑlɪfɪ'keɪʃənz
disqualify	dɪs'kwɒlɪfaɪ	dɪs'kwɑlɪfaɪ
disqualifies	dɪs'kwɒlɪfaɪz	dɪs'kwɑlɪfaɪz
disqualified	dɪs'kwɒlɪfaɪd	dɪs'kwɑlɪfaɪd
disqualifying	dɪs'kwɒlɪfaɪɪŋ	dɪs'kwɑlɪfaɪɪŋ
disregard	'dɪsrɪ'gɑ·d	'dɪsrɪ'gɑəd
disregards	'dɪsrɪ'gɑ·dz	'dɪsrɪ'gɑədz
disregarded	'dɪsrɪ'gɑ·dɪd	'dɪsrɪ'gɑədɪd
disregarding	'dɪsrɪ'gɑ·dɪŋ	'dɪsrɪ'gɑədɪŋ
disreputable	dɪs'rɛpjʊtəbl̩	
disreputably	dɪs'rɛpjʊtəblɪ	
disrepute	'dɪsrɪ'pju·t	
disrespect	'dɪsrɪs'pɛkt	
disrespectful	dɪsrɪs'pɛktfʊl	
disrespectfully	dɪsrɪs'pɛktfəlɪ	
dissatisfaction	'dɪssætɪs'fækʃən	
dissatisfy	'dɪs'sætɪsfaɪ	
dissatisfies	'dɪs'sætɪsfaɪz	
dissatisfied	'dɪs'sætɪsfaɪd	
dissatisfying	'dɪs'sætɪsfaɪɪŋ	
dissect	dɪ'sɛkt	
dissects	dɪ'sɛkts	
dissected	dɪ'sɛktɪd	
dissecting	dɪ'sɛktɪŋ	
dissension	dɪ'sɛnʃən	
dissensions	dɪ'sɛnʃənz	
dissent	dɪ'sɛnt	
dissents	dɪ'sɛnts	
dissented	dɪ'sɛntɪd	
dissenting	dɪ'sɛntɪŋ	
dissenter	dɪ'sɛntə(r	dɪ'sɛntə
dissenters	dɪ'sɛntəz	dɪ'sɛntəz
dissimilar	'dɪs'sɪmɪlə(r	'dɪs'sɪmɪlə
dissimilarity	'dɪssɪmɪ'lærɪtɪ	
dissimilarities	'dɪssɪmɪ'lærɪtɪz	
dissipate	'dɪsɪpeɪt	
dissipates	'dɪsɪpeɪts	
dissipated	'dɪsɪpeɪtɪd	
dissipating	'dɪsɪpeɪtɪŋ	
dissipation	dɪsɪ'peɪʃən	
dissipations	dɪsɪ'peɪʃənz	
dissolute	'dɪsəljʊt	
dissolutely	'dɪsəljʊtlɪ	
dissolution	dɪsə'ljʊ·ʃən	
dissolutions	dɪsə'ljʊ·ʃənz	

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dissolve	dɪ'zɒlv	dɪ'zɑlv
dissolves	dɪ'zɒlvz	dɪ'zɑlvz
dissolved	dɪ'zɒlvd	dɪ'zɑlvd
dissolving	dɪ'zɒlvɪŋ	dɪ'zɑlvɪŋ
dissuade	dɪ'sweɪd	
dissuades	dɪ'sweɪdz	
dissuaded	dɪ'sweɪdɪd	
dissuading	dɪ'sweɪdɪŋ	
distance	'dɪstəns	
distances	'dɪstənsɪz	
distant	'dɪstənt	
distantly	'dɪstəntlɪ	
distil	dɪs'tɪl	
distils	dɪs'tɪlz	
distilled	dɪs'tɪld	
distilling	dɪs'tɪlɪŋ	
distinct	dɪs'tɪŋk̚t	
distinctly	dɪs'tɪŋk̚tlɪ	
distinctness	dɪs'tɪŋk̚tnɪs	
distinction	dɪs'tɪŋk̚ʃən	
distinctions	dɪs'tɪŋk̚ʃənz	
distinctive	dɪs'tɪŋk̚tɪv	
distinguish	dɪs'tɪŋgwɪʃ	
distinguishes	dɪs'tɪŋgwɪʃɪz	
distinguished	dɪs'tɪŋgwɪʃt	
distinguishing	dɪs'tɪŋgwɪʃɪŋ	
distort	dɪs'tɔ·t	dɪs'tɔət
distorts	dɪs'tɔ·ts	dɪs'tɔəts
distorted	dɪs'tɔ·tɪd	dɪs'tɔətɪd
distorting	dɪs'tɔ·tɪŋ	dɪs'tɔətɪŋ
distortion	dɪs'tɔ·ʃən	dɪs'tɔəʃən
distract	dɪs'trækt	
distracts	dɪs'trækts	
distracted	dɪs'træktɪd	
distracting	dɪs'træktɪŋ	
distress	dɪs'trɛs	
distresses	dɪs'trɛsɪz	
distressed	dɪs'trɛst	
distressing	dɪs'trɛsɪŋ	
distribute	dɪs'trɪbjut 'dɪstrɪbjut	
distributes	dɪs'trɪbjuts 'dɪstrɪbjuts	
distributed	dɪs'trɪbjutɪd 'dɪstrɪbjutɪd	
distributing	dɪs'trɪbjutɪŋ 'dɪstrɪbjutɪŋ	

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distribution	dɪstrɪ'bju·ʃən	
district	'dɪstrɪkt	
districts	'dɪstrɪkts	
distrust	dɪs'trʌst	
distrusts	dɪs'trʌsts	
distrusted	dɪs'trʌstɪd	
distrusting	dɪs'trʌstɪŋ	
distrustful	dɪs'trʌstful	
disturb	dɪs'tə·b	dɪs'təəb
disturbs	dɪs'tə·bz	dɪs'təəbz
disturbed	dɪs'tə·bd	dɪs'təəbd
disturbing	dɪs'tə·bɪŋ	dɪs'təəbɪŋ
disturbance	dɪs'tə·bəns	dɪs'təəbəns
disturbances	dɪs'tə·bənsɪz	dɪs'təəbənsɪz
disuse, *noun*	'dɪs'ju·s	
ditch	dɪtʃ	
ditches	'dɪtʃɪz	
ditto	'dɪtou	
dive	daɪv	
dives	daɪvz	
dived	daɪvd	
diving	'daɪvɪŋ	
diver	'daɪvə(r	'daɪvə
divers	'daɪvəz	'daɪvəz
diverge	daɪ'və·ʤ, dɪ'və·ʤ	daɪ'vəəʤ, dɪ'vəəʤ
diverges	daɪ'və·ʤɪz	daɪ'vəəʤɪz
	dɪ'və·ʤɪz	dɪ'vəəʤɪz
diverged	daɪ'və·ʤd	daɪ'vəəʤd
	dɪ'və·ʤd	dɪ'vəəʤd
diverging	daɪ'və·ʤɪŋ	daɪ'vəəʤɪŋ
	dɪ'və·ʤɪŋ	dɪ'vəəʤɪŋ
divergence	daɪ'və·ʤəns	daɪ'vəəʤəns
	dɪ'və·ʤəns	dɪ'vəəʤəns
divergences	daɪ'və·ʤənsɪz	daɪ'vəəʤənsɪz
	dɪ'və·ʤənsɪz	dɪ'vəəʤənsɪz
divergency	daɪ'və·ʤənsɪ	daɪ'vəəʤənsɪ
	dɪ'və·ʤənsɪ	dɪ'vəəʤənsɪ
divergent	daɪ'və·ʤənt	daɪ'vəəʤənt
	dɪ'və·ʤənt	dɪ'vəəʤənt
diverse	daɪ'və·s, dɪ'və·s	daɪ'vəəs, dɪ'vəəs
diversely	daɪ'və·slɪ, dɪ'və·slɪ	daɪ'vəəslɪ, dɪ'vəəslɪ
diversity	daɪ'və·sɪtɪ, dɪ'və·sɪtɪ	daɪ'vəəsɪtɪ, dɪ'vəəsɪtɪ
divide	dɪ'vaɪd	
divides	dɪ'vaɪdz	
divided	dɪ'vaɪdɪd	
dividing	dɪ'vaɪdɪŋ	
divine	dɪ'vaɪn	

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divinely	dɪ′vaɪnlɪ	
divinity	dɪ′vɪnɪtɪ	
divinities	dɪ′vɪnɪtɪz	
divisible	dɪ′vɪzɪb|, dɪ′vɪzəb|	
division	dɪ′vɪʒən	
divisions	dɪ′vɪʒənz	
divisional	dɪ′vɪʒən|	
divorce	dɪ′vɔ·s	dɪ′voəs
divorces	dɪ′vɔ·sɪz	dɪ′voəsɪz
divorced	dɪ′vɔ·st	dɪ′voəst
divorcing	dɪ′vɔ·sɪŋ	dɪ′voəsɪŋ
dizzy	′dɪzɪ	
dizziness	′dɪzɪnɪs	
do	du· *s.f.*, dʊ, də *w.fs.*	
does	dʌz *s.f.*, dəz *w.f.*	
did	dɪd *s.f.*, dɪd *w.f.*	
done	dʌn	
doing	′du·ɪŋ	
docile	′doʊsaɪl, ′dɒsaɪl	′dɒsɪl
dock	dɒk	dɑk
docks	dɒks	dɑks
dockyard	′dɒkjɑ·d	′dɑkjəəd
dockyards	′dɒkjɑ·dz	′dɑkjəədz
doctor	′dɒktə(r	′dɑktə
doctors	′dɒktəz	′dɑktəz
doctrine	′dɒktrɪn	′dɑktrɪn
doctrines	′dɒktrɪnz	′dɑktrɪnz
document	′dɒkjʊmənt	′dɑkjʊmənt
documents	′dɒkjʊmənts	′dɑkjʊmənts
dodge	dɒʤ	dɑʤ
dodges	′dɒʤɪz	′dɑʤɪz
dodged	dɒʤd	dɑʤd
dodging	′dɒʤɪŋ	′dɑʤɪŋ
DOES *from* do	dʌz *s.f.*, dəz *w.f.*	
DOESN'T *from* do	′dʌzn̩t	
dog	dɒg	
dogs	dɒgz	
dogma	′dɒgmə	
dogmas	′dɒgməz	
dogmatic	dɒg′mætɪk	
doings	′du·ɪŋz	
doll	dɒl	dɑl
dolls	dɒlz	dɑlz
dollar	′dɒlə(r	′dɑlə
dollars	′dɒləz	′dɑləz
domain	doʊ′meɪn, də′meɪn	

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domains	dou'meɪnz	
	də'meɪnz	
dome	doʊm	
domes	doʊmz	
domestic	də'mɛstɪk	
dominate	'dɒmɪneɪt	'dɑmɪneɪt
dominates	'dɒmɪneɪts	'dɑmɪneɪts
dominated	'dɒmɪneɪtɪd	'dɑmɪneɪtɪd
dominating	'dɒmɪneɪtɪŋ	'dɑmɪnatɪŋ
domination	dɒmɪ'neɪʃən	dɑmɪ'neɪʃən
dominations	dɒmɪ'neɪʃənz	dɑmɪ'neɪʃənz
dominion	də'mɪnjən	
dominions	də'mɪnjənz	
donation	dou'neɪʃən	
donations	dou'neɪʃənz	
DONE *from* do	dʌn	
donkey	'dɒŋkɪ	
donkeys	'dɒŋkɪz	
DON'T *from* do	dount	
door	dɔ·(r, dɔə(r	doə
doors	dɔ·z, dɔəz	doəz
dormitory	'dɔ·mɪtrɪ	'dɔəmɪtorɪ
dormitories	'dɔ·mɪtrɪz	'dɔəmɪtorɪz
Dorothy	'dɒrəθɪ	
dose	dous	
doses	'dousɪz	
dot	dɒt	dɑt
dots	dɒts	dɑts
dotted	'dɒtɪd	'dɑtɪd
dotting	'dɒtɪŋ	'dɑtɪŋ
double	'dʌbl̩	
doubles	'dʌbl̩z	
doubled	'dʌbl̩d	
doubling	'dʌblɪŋ, 'dʌbl̩ɪŋ	
doubly	'dʌblɪ	
doubt	daʊt	
doubts	daʊts	
doubted	'daʊtɪd	
doubting	'daʊtɪŋ	
doubtful	'daʊtfʊl	
doubtfully	'daʊtfʊlɪ, daʊtfəlɪ	
doubtless	'daʊtlɪs	
doubtlessly	'daʊtlɪslɪ	
dough	dou	
dove	dʌv	
doves	dʌvz	
down	daʊn	

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down-hearted	ˈdaʊnˈhɑːtɪd	ˈdaʊnˈhɑətɪd
downstairs	ˈdaʊnˈstɛəz	ˈdaʊnˈstɛəz
downward	ˈdaʊnwəd	ˈdaʊnwəd
downwards	ˈdaʊnwədz	ˈdaʊnwədz
doze	doʊz	
dozes	ˈdoʊzɪz	
dozed	doʊzd	
dozing	ˈdoʊzɪŋ	
dozen	ˈdʌzn̩	
dozens	ˈdʌzn̩z	
draft	drɑːft	draːft
drafts	drɑːfts	draːfts
drafted	ˈdrɑːftɪd	ˈdraːftɪd
drafting	ˈdrɑːftɪŋ	ˈdraːftɪŋ
drag	dræg	
drags	drægz	
dragged	drægd	
dragging	ˈdrægɪŋ	
drain	dreɪn	
drains	dreɪnz	
drained	dreɪnd	
draining	ˈdreɪnɪŋ	
drama	ˈdrɑːmə	
dramas	ˈdrɑːməz	
dramatic	drəˈmætɪk	
dramatically	drəˈmætɪkəlɪ	
DRANK *from* drink	dræŋk	
draper	ˈdreɪpə(r	ˈdreɪpə
drapers	ˈdreɪpəz	ˈdreɪpəz
draught	drɑːft	draːft
draughts	drɑːfts	draːfts
draughty	ˈdrɑːftɪ	ˈdraːftɪ
draw	drɔː	
draws	drɔːz	
drew	druː	
drawn	drɔːn	
drawing	ˈdrɔːɪŋ	
drawer, *person who draws*	ˈdrɔːə(r	ˈdrɔːə
drawers	ˈdrɔːəz	ˈdrɔːəz
drawer, *sliding box*	drɔː(r, ˈdrɔə(r	drɔə
drawers	drɔːz, ˈdrɔəz	ˈdrɔəz
drawing-room	ˈdrɔɪŋrʊm ˈdrɔɪŋrʊm ˈdrɔːɪŋrʊm ˈdrɔːɪŋrʊm	

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drawing-rooms	ˈdrɔɪŋrʊmz	
	ˈdrɔɪŋrumz	
	ˈdrɔˑɪŋrʊmz	
	ˈdrɔˑɪŋrumz	
DRAWN *from* draw	drɔˑn	
dread	drɛd	
dreads	drɛdz	
dreaded	ˈdrɛdɪd	
dreading	ˈdrɛdɪŋ	
dreadful	ˈdrɛdfʊl	
dreadfully	ˈdrɛdfʊlɪ, ˈdrɛdfəlɪ	
dream	driˑm	
dreams	driˑmz	
dreamed	drɛmpt, driˑmd	
dreamt	drɛmpt	
dreaming	ˈdriˑmɪŋ	
dreamer	ˈdriˑmə(r	ˈdriˑmə
dreamers	ˈdriˑməz	ˈdriˑməz
dreary	ˈdrɪərɪ	drɪˑrɪ
drearier	ˈdrɪərɪə(r	ˈdrɪˑrɪə
dreariest	ˈdrɪərɪst	drɪˑrɪst
dress	drɛs	
dresses	ˈdrɛsɪz	
dressed	drɛst	
dressing	ˈdrɛsɪŋ	
dresser	ˈdrɛsə(r	ˈdrɛsə
dressers	ˈdrɛsəz	ˈdrɛsəz
DREW *from* draw	druˑ	
DRIED *from* dry	draɪd	
DRIES *from* dry	draɪz	
drift	drɪft	
drifts	drɪfts	
drifted	ˈdrɪftɪd	
drifting	ˈdrɪftɪŋ	
drill	drɪl	
drills	drɪlz	
drilled	drɪld	
drilling	ˈdrɪlɪŋ	
drily (=*dryly*)	ˈdraɪlɪ	
drink	drɪŋk	
drinks	drɪŋks	
drank	drænk	
drunk	drʌŋk	
drinking	ˈdrɪŋkɪŋ	
drip	drɪp	
drips	drɪps	
dripped	drɪpt	

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dripping	ˈdrɪpɪŋ	
drive	ˈdraɪv	
drives	draɪvz	
drove	drouv	
driven	ˈdrɪvn̩	
driving	ˈdraɪvɪŋ	
driver	ˈdraɪvə(r	ˈdraɪvə
drivers	ˈdraɪvəz	ˈdraɪvəz
drop	drɒp	drɑp
drops	drɒps	drɑps
dropped	drɒpt	drɑpt
dropping	ˈdrɒpɪŋ	ˈdrɑpɪŋ
DROVE *from* drive	drouv	
drown	draʊn	
drowns	draʊnz	
drowned	draʊnd	
drowning	ˈdraʊnɪŋ	
drudgery	ˈdrʌʤəɪ	
drug	drʌg	
drugs	drʌgz	
druggist	ˈdrʌgɪst	
druggists	ˈdrʌgɪsts	
drum	drʌm	
drums	drʌmz	
DRUNK *from* drink	drʌŋk	
drunken	ˈdrʌŋkən	
drunkenness	ˈdrʌŋkənnɪs	
dry	draɪ	
drier	ˈdraɪə(r	ˈdraɪə
driest	ˈdraɪɪst	
dries	draɪz	
dried	draɪd	
drying	ˈdraɪɪŋ	
dryly	draɪlɪ	
dryness	ˈdraɪnɪs	
duchess	ˈdʌʧɪs	
duchesses	ˈdʌʧɪsɪz	
duck	dʌk	
ducks	dʌks	
duel	djuˈəl	
DUG *from* dig	dʌg	
duke	djuˈk	
dukes	djuˈks	
dull	dʌl	
duller	ˈdʌlə(r	ˈdʌlə
dullest	ˈdʌlɪst	
dullness	ˈdʌlnɪs	
duly	ˈdjuˈlɪ	

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dumb	dʌm	
dumbness	ˈdʌmnɪs	
duplicate, *noun*	ˈdjuˌplɪkɪt	
duplicates	ˈdjuˌplɪkɪts	
duplicate, *verb*	ˈdjuˌplɪkeɪt	
duplicates	ˈdjuˌplɪkeɪts	
duplicated	ˈdjuˌplɪkeɪtɪd	
duplicating	ˈdjuˌplikeɪtɪŋ	
duplicity	djuˈplɪsɪtɪ	
durability	djʊərəˈbɪlɪtɪ	djʊˌrəˈbɪlɪtɪ
durable	ˈdjʊərəbl̩	ˈdjʊˌrəbl̩
duration	djʊəˈreɪʃən	djʊˌˈreɪʃən
during	ˈdjʊərɪŋ	ˈdjʊˌrɪŋ
dusk	dʌsk	
dust	dʌst	
dusts	dʌsts	
dusted	ˈdʌstɪd	
dusting	ˈdʌstɪŋ	
dusty	ˈdʌstɪ	
Dutch	dʌʧ	
Dutchman	ˈdʌʧmən	
Dutchmen	ˈdʌʧmən	
duty	ˈdjuˌtɪ	
duties	ˈdjuˌtɪz	
dwarf	dwɔˌf	dwɔəf
dwarfs	dwɔˌfs	dwɔəfs
dye	daɪ	
dyes	daɪz	
dyed	daɪd	
dyeing	ˈdaɪɪŋ	
DYING *from* die	ˈdaɪɪŋ	
dynamo	ˈdaɪnəmoʊ	
dynamos	ˈdaɪnəmoʊz	

The phonetic value of the symbol [ɪ].

When this symbol stands for the *e* of traditional spelling, its phonetic value is variable and very unstable. In slow and careful speech, it approximates to [ɛ], in rapid speech either to the *i* of *inspect* or to the *a* of *ago*. In the case of slow and careful speech, usage in England and America is practically identical; in rapid speech the vowel tends rather towards the *i* of *inspect* in England, and towards the *a* of *ago* in America.

Such entries as [ɪˈfɛkt] are therefore to be interpreted in the following sense—

[ɪ′fɛkt.] This is the more normal pronunciation of users of Received Pronunciation, either in England or in America.

[ə′fɛkt] or a form intermediate between [ə′fɛkt] and [ɛ′fɛkt]. These forms are characteristic of American speakers, and are also heard in the speech of users of Received Pronunciation.

[ɛ′fɛkt]. This form is frequently heard in the case of slow and careful speech, both in England and in America, but especially in America.

E

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
E	iˑ	
E's	iˑz	
each	iˑʧ	
eager	′iˑgə(r	′iˑgɚ
eagerly	′iˑgəlɪ	′iˑgəlɪ
eagerness	′iˑgənɪs	′iˑgənɪs
eagle	′iˑgl̩	
eagles	′iˑgl̩z	
ear	ɪə(r	ɪɚ
ears	ɪəz	ɪəz
early	′ɜˑlɪ	′ɜəlɪ
earlier	′ɜˑlɪə(r	′ɜəlɪə
earliest	′ɜˑlɪɪst	′ɜəlɪɪst
earn	ɜˑn	ɜən
earns	ɜˑnz	ɜənz
earned	ɜˑnd, ɜˑnt	ɜənd
earnt	ɜˑnt	ɜənt
earning	′ɜˑnɪŋ	′ɜənɪŋ
earnest	′ɜˑnɪst	′ɜənɪst
earnestly	′ɜˑnɪstlɪ	′ɜənɪstlɪ
earnestness	′ɜˑnɪs̩tnɪs	′ɜənɪstnɪs
earnings	′ɜˑnɪŋz	′ɜənɪŋz
earth	ɜˑθ	ɜəθ
earthquake	′ɜˑθkweɪk	′ɜəθkweɪk
earthquakes	′ɜˑθkweɪks	′ɜəθkweɪks
ease	iˑz	
easily	′iˑzɪlɪ	
east	iˑst	
Easter	′iˑstə(r	′iˑstɚ
easterly	′iˑstəlɪ	′iˑstəlɪ
eastern	′iˑstən	′iˑstən
eastward	′iˑstwəd	′iˑstwəd
eastwardly	′iˑstwədlɪ	′iˑstwədlɪ
easy	′iˑzɪ	
easier	′iˑsɪə(r	′iˑzɪə
easiest	′iˑzɪɪst	

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eat	iːt	
eats	iːts	
ate	ɛt	eɪt
eaten	ˈiːtn̩	
eating	ˈiːtɪŋ	
eccentric	ɪkˈsɛntrɪk	
eccentricity	ɛksɛnˈtrɪsɪtɪ	
	ɛksənˈtrɪsɪtɪ	
eccentricities	ɛksɛnˈtrɪsɪtɪz	
	ɛksənˈtrɪsɪtɪz	
echo	ˈɛkoʊ	
echoes	ˈɛkoʊz	
echoed	ˈɛkoʊd	
echoing	ˈɛkoʊɪŋ	
eclipse	ɪˈklɪps	
eclipses	ɪˈklɪpsɪz	
economic	ikəˈnɒmɪk	ɛkəˈnɑmɪk
	ɛkəˈnɒmɪk	
economical	ikəˈnɒmɪkəl	ɛkəˈnɑmɪkəl
	ɛkəˈnɒmɪkəl	
economically	ikəˈnɒmɪkəlɪ	ɛkəˈnɑmɪkəlɪ
	ɛkəˈnɒmɪkəlɪ	
economics	ikəˈnɒmɪks	ɛkəˈnɑmɪks
	ɛkəˈnɒmɪks	
economize	ɪˈkɒnəmaɪz	ɪˈkɑnəmaɪz
economizes	ɪˈkɒnəmaɪzɪz	ɪˈkɑnəmaɪzɪz
economized	ɪˈkɒnəmaɪzd	ɪˈkɑnəmaɪzd
economizing	ɪˈkɒnəmaɪzɪŋ	ɪˈkɑnəmaɪzɪŋ
economy	ɪˈkɒnəmɪ	ɪˈkɑnəmɪ
economies	ɪˈkɒnəmɪz	ɪˈkɑnəmɪz
edge	ɛʤ	
edges	ˈɛʤɪz	
edgeways	ˈɛʤweɪz	
edit	ˈɛdɪt	
edits	ˈɛdɪts	
edited	ˈɛdɪtɪd	
editing	ˈɛdɪtɪŋ	
edition	ɪˈdɪʃən	
editions	ɪˈdɪʃənz	
editor	ˈɛdɪtə(r	ˈɛdɪtə
editors	ˈɛdɪtəz	ˈɛdɪtəz
editorial	ɛdɪˈtɔːrɪəl	ɛdɪˈtoːrɪəl
editorials	ɛdɪˈtɔːrɪəlz	ɛdɪˈtoːrɪəlz
educate	ˈɛdjʊkeɪt	
educates	ˈɛdjʊkeɪts	
educated	ˈɛdjʊkeɪtɪd	
educating	ˈɛdjʊkeɪtɪŋ	

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education	ɛdjʊ'keɪʃən	
educational	ɛdjʊ'keɪʃən̩l	
educationist	ɛdjʊ'keɪʃənɪst	
educationists	ɛdjʊ'keɪʃənɪsts	
educator	'ɛdjʊkeɪtə(r	'ɛdjʊkeɪtə
educators	'ɛdjʊkeɪtəz	'ɛdjʊkeɪtəz
Edward	'ɛdwəd	'ɛdwəd
eel	iːl	
eels	iːlz	
effect	ɪ'fɛkt	
effects	ɪ'fɛkts	
effected	ɪ'fɛktɪd	
effecting	ɪ'fɛktɪŋ	
effective	ɪ'fɛktɪv	
effectively	ɪ'fɛktɪvlɪ	
effectual	ɪ'fɛktjʊəl	
effectually	ɪ'fɛktjʊəlɪ	
effeminate	ɪ'fɛmɪnɪt	
efficacious	ɛfɪ'keɪʃəs	
efficaciously	ɛfɪ'keɪʃəslɪ	
efficacy	'ɛfɪkəsɪ	
efficiency	ɪ'fɪʃənsɪ	
efficient	ɪ'fɪʃənt	
efficiently	ɪ'fɪʃəntlɪ	
effort	'ɛfət	'ɛfət
efforts	'ɛfəts	'ɛfəts
egg	ɛg	
eggs	ɛgz	
egotism	'ɛgoʊtɪzm̩	'iːgətɪzm̩
egotist	'ɛgoʊtɪst	'ɪːgətɪst
egotists	'ɛgoʊtɪsts	'iːgətɪsts
egotistic	ɛgoʊ'tɪstɪk	igə'tɪstɪk
egotistically	ɛgoʊ'tɪstɪkəlɪ	igə'tɪstɪkəlɪ
Egypt	'iːʤɪpt	
Egyptian	ɪ'ʤɪpʃən	
Egyptians	ɪ'ʤɪpʃənz	
eh	eɪ, ɛː,	
eight	eɪt	
eighteen	'eɪ'tiːn	
eighteenth	'eɪ'tiːnθ	
eighteenths	'eɪ'tiːnθs	
eighth	eɪtθ	
eighths	eɪtθs	
eighty	'eɪtɪ	
eightieth	'eɪtɪɪθ	
eightieths	'eɪtɪɪθs	
either	'aɪðə(r, 'iːðə(r	'iːðə

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elaborate, *adj.*	ɪ'læbərɪt	
elaborately	ɪ'læbərɪtlɪ	
elaborate, *verb*	ɪ'læbəreɪt	
elaborates	ɪ'læbəreɪts	
elaborated	ɪ'læbəreɪtɪd	
elaborating	ɪ'læbəreɪtɪŋ	
elapse	ɪ'læps	
elapses	ɪ'læpsɪz	
elapsed	ɪ'læpst	
elapsing	ɪ'læpsɪŋ	
elastic	ɪ'læstɪk, ɪ'lɑstɪk	
elasticity	ɪlæs'tɪsɪtɪ, ilæs'tɪsɪtɪ	
elbow	'ɛlboʊ	
elbows	'ɛlboʊz	
elder	'ɛldə(r	'ɛldə
elders	'ɛldəz	'ɛldəz
elderly	'ɛldəlɪ	
eldest	'ɛldɪst	
elect	ɪ'lɛkt	
elects	ɪ'lɛkts	
elected	ɪ'lɛktɪd	
electing	ɪ'lɛktɪŋ	
election	ɪ'lɛkʃən	
elections	ɪ'lɛkʃənz	
elector	ɪ'lɛktə(r	ɪ'lɛktə
electors	ɪ'lɛktəz	ɪ'lɛktəz
electric	ɪ'lɛktrɪk	
electrically	ɪ'lɛktrɪkəlɪ	
electrician	ɪlɛk'trɪʃən	
electricians	ɪlɛk'trɪʃənz	
electricity	ɪlɛk'trɪsɪtɪ	
electron	ɪ'lɛktrɒn	ɪ'lɛktrɑn
electrons	ɪ'lɛktrɒnz	ɪ'lɛktrɑnz
elegance	'ɛlɪgəns	
elegant	'ɛlɪgənt	
elegantly	'ɛlɪgəntlɪ	
element	'ɛlɪmənt	
elements	'ɛlɪmənts	
elementary	ɛlɪ'mɛntərɪ	
elephant	'ɛlɪfənt	
elephants	'ɛlɪfənts	
elevate	'ɛlɪveɪt	
elevates	'ɛlɪveɪts	
elevated	'ɛliveɪtɪd	
elevating	'ɛlɪveɪtɪŋ	
elevation	ɛlɪ'veɪʃən	
elevations	ɛlɪ'veɪʃənz	

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elevator	ˈɛlɪveɪtə(r	ˈɛlɪveɪtə
elevators	ˈɛlɪveɪtəz	ˈɛlɪveɪtəz
eleven	ɪˈlɛvn̩	
eleventh	ɪˈlɛvn̩θ	
elevenths	ɪˈlɛvn̩θs	
eligible	ˈɛlɪʤəb̩l	
eliminate	ɪˈlɪmɪneɪt	
eliminates	ɪˈlɪmɪneɪts	
eliminated	ɪˈlɪmɪneɪtɪd	
eliminating	ɪˈlɪmɪneɪtɪŋ	
elimination	ɪlɪmɪˈneɪʃən	
eliminations	ɪlɪmɪˈneɪʃənz	
elision	ɪˈlɪʒən	
elisions	ɪˈlɪʒənz	
Elizabeth	ɪˈlɪzəbəθ	
ellipse	ɪˈlɪps	
ellipses	ɪˈlɪpsɪz	
elliptic	ɪˈlɪptɪk	
elliptical	ɪˈlɪptɪkəl	
elocution	ɛləˈkjuˑʃən	
elocutionist	ɛləˈkjuˑʃənɪst	
elocutionists	ɛləˈkjuˑʃənɪsts	
eloquence	ˈɛləkwəns	
eloquent	ˈɛləkwənt	
eloquently	ˈɛləkwəntlɪ	
else	ɛls	
elsewhere	ˈɛlsˈ*h*wɛə(r	ˈɛlsˈhwɛə
'em, *weak form of* them	əm	
emancipate	ɪˈmænsɪpeɪt	
emancipates	ɪˈmænsɪpeɪts	
emancipated	ɪˈmænsɪpeɪtɪd	
emancipating	ɪˈmænsɪpeɪtɪŋ	
emancipation	ɪmænsɪˈpeɪʃən	
embankment	ɪmˈbæŋkmənt	
embark	ɪmˈbɑˑk	ɪmˈbɑək
embarks	ɪmˈbɑˑks	ɪmˈbɑəks
embarked	ɪmˈbɑˑkt	ɪmˈbɑəkt
embarking	ɪmˈbɑˑkɪŋ	ɪmˈbɑəkɪŋ
embarrass	ɪmˈbærəs	
embarrasses	ɪmˈbærəsɪz	
embarrassed	ɪmˈbærəst	
embarrassing	ɪmˈbærəsɪŋ	
embarrassment	ɪmˈbærəsmənt	
embassy	ˈɛmbəsɪ	
embassies	ˈɛmbəsɪz	
emblem	ˈɛmbləm	
emblems	ˈɛmbləmz	

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embody	ɪm′bɒdɪ	ɪm′bɑdɪ
embodies	ɪm′bɒdɪz	ɪm′bɑdɪz
embodied	ɪm′bɒdɪd	ɪm′bɑdɪd
embodying	ɪm′bɒdɪŋ	ɪm′bɑdɪŋ
embodiment	ɪm′bɒdɪmənt	ɪm′bɑdɪmənt
embodiments	ɪm′bɒdɪmənts	ɪm′bɑdɪmənts
embroider	ɪm′brɔɪdə(r	ɪm′brɔɪdə
embroiders	ɪm′brɔɪdəz	ɪm′brɔɪdəz
embroidered	ɪm′brɔɪdəd	ɪm′brɔɪdəd
embroidering	ɪm′brɔɪdərɪŋ	
embroidery	ɪm′brɔɪdərɪ	
embroideries	ɪm′brɔɪdərɪz	
emerald	′ɛmərəld	
emeralds	′ɛmərəldz	
emergency	ɪ′mɜːʤənsɪ	ɪ′mɜəʤənsɪ
emergencies	ɪ′mɜːʤənsɪz	ɪ′mɜəʤənsɪz
emigrant	′ɛmɪgrənt	
emigrants	′ɛmɪgrənts	
emigrate	′ɛmɪgreɪt	
emigrates	′ɛmɪgreɪts	
emigrated	′ɛmɪgreɪtɪd	
emigrating	′ɛmɪgreɪtɪŋ	
emigration	ɛmɪ′greɪʃən	
eminence	′ɛmɪnəns	
eminent	′ɛmɪnənt	
eminently	′ɛmɪnəntlɪ	
Emma	′ɛmə	
emotion	ɪ′moʊʃən	
emotions	ɪ′moʊʃənz	
emotional	ɪ′moʊʃənəl	
emotionally	ɪ′moʊʃənəlɪ	
emperor	′ɛmpərə(r	′ɛmpərə
emperors	′ɛmpərəz	′ɛmpərəz
emphasis	′ɛmfəsɪs	
emphasize	′ɛmfəsaɪz	
emphasizes	′ɛmfəsaɪzɪz	
emphasized	′ɛmfəsaɪzd	
emphasizing	′ɛmfəsaɪzɪŋ	
emphatic	ɪm′fætɪk	
emphatically	ɪm′fætɪkəlɪ	
empire	′ɛmpaɪə(r	′ɛmpaɪə
empires	′ɛmpaɪəz	′ɛmpaɪəz
employ	ɪm′plɔɪ	
employs	ɪm′plɔɪz	
employed	ɪm′plɔɪd	
employing	ɪm′plɔɪŋ	
employer	ɪm′plɔɪə(r	ɪm′plɔɪə

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employers	ɪm'plɔɪəz	ɪm'plɔɪəz
employment	ɪm'plɔɪmənt	
empty	'ɛmpɪ	
empties	'ɛmpɪz	
emptied	'ɛmpɪd	
emptying	'ɛmpɪɪŋ	
emptiness	'ɛmpɪnɪs	
enable	ɪ'neɪbl̩	
enables	ɪ'neɪbl̩z	
enabled	ɪ'neɪbl̩d	
enabling	ɪ'neɪblɪŋ	
enamel	ɪ'næməl	
encamp	ɪn'kæmp	
encamps	ɪn'kæmps	
encamped	ɪn'kæmpt	
encamping	ɪn'kæmpɪŋ	
encampment	ɪn'kæmpmənt	
encampments	ɪn'kæmpmənts	
enclose	ɪn'klouz	
encloses	ɪn'klouzɪz	
enclosed	ɪn'klouzd	
enclosing	ɪn'klouzɪŋ	
enclosure	ɪn'klouʒə(r	ɪn'klouʒə
enclosures	ɪn'klouʒəz	ɪn'klouʒəz
encounter	ɪn'kaʊntə(r	ɪn'kaʊntə
encounters	ɪn'kaʊntəz	ɪn'kaʊntəz
encountered	ɪn'kaʊntəd	ɪn'kaʊntəd
encountering	ɪn'kaʊntərɪŋ	
encourage	ɪn'kʌrɪʤ	ɪn'kərɪʤ
encourages	ɪn'kʌrɪʤɪz	ɪn'kərɪʤɪz
encouraged	ɪn'kʌrɪʤd	ɪn'kərɪʤd
encouraging	ɪn'kʌrɪʤɪŋ	ɪn'kərɪʤɪŋ
encouragement	ɪn'kʌrɪʤmənt	ɪn'kərɪʤmənt
encyclopædia	ɛnsaɪklə'piˈdɪə ɛnsaɪklou'piˈdɪə	
encyclopædias	ɛnsaɪklə'piˈdɪəz ɛnsaɪklou'piˈdɪəz	
end	ɛnd	
ends	ɛndz	
ended	'ɛndɪd	
ending	'ɛndɪŋ	
endeavour	ɪn'dɛvə(r	ɪn'dɛvə
endeavor (*Amer.*)		
endeavours	ɪn'dɛvəz	ɪn'dɛvəz
endeavors (*Amer.*)		
endeavoured	ɪn'dɛvəd	ɪn'dɛvəd
endeavored (*Amer.*)		

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endeavouring	ɪn′dɛvərɪŋ	
endeavoring (*Amer.*)		
ending	′ɛndɪŋ	
endings	′ɛndɪŋz	
endless	′ɛndlɪs	
endlessly	′ɛndlɪslɪ	
endorse	ɪn′dəˑs	ɪn′dɔəs
endorses	ɪn′dɔˑsɪz	ɪn′dɔəsɪz
endorsed	ɪn′dɔˑst	ɪn′dɔəst
endorsing	ɪn′dɔˑsɪŋ	ɪn′dɔəsɪŋ
endorsement	ɪn′dɔˑsmənt	ɪn′dɔəsmənt
endorsements	ɪn′dɔˑsmənts	ɪn′dɔəsmənts
endow	ɪn′daʊ	
endows	ɪn′daʊz	
endowed	ɪn′daʊd	
endowing	ɪn′daʊɪŋ	
endowment	ɪn′daʊmənt	
endowments	ɪn′daʊmənts	
endure	ɪn′djʊə(r	ɪn′djʊə
endures	ɪn′djʊəz	ɪn′djʊəz
endured	ɪn′djʊəd	ɪn′djʊəd
enduring	ɪn′djʊərɪŋ	ɪn′djʊˑrɪŋ
endurance	ɪn′djʊərəns	ɪn′djʊˑrəns
endways	′ɛndweɪz	
enemy	′ɛnɪmɪ	
enemies	′ɛnɪmɪz	
energetic	ɛnə′ʤɛtɪk	
energetically	ɛnæ′ʤɛtɪkəlɪ	
energy	′ɛnəʤɪ	′ɛnəʤɪ
energies	′ɛnəʤɪz	′ɛnəʤɪz
enforce	ɪn′fɔˑs	ɪn′foəs
enforces	ɪn′fɔˑsɪz	ɪn′foəsɪz
enforced	ɪn′fɔˑst	ɪn′foəst
enforcing	ɪn′fɔˑsɪŋ	ɪn′foəsɪŋ
enforcement	ɪn′fɔˑsmənt	ɪn′foəsmənt
engage	ɪn′geɪʤ	
engages	ɪn′geɪʤɪz	
engaged	ɪn′geɪʤd	
engaging	ɪn′geɪʤɪŋ	
engagement	ɪn′geɪʤmənt	
engagements	ɪn′geɪʤmənts	
engine	′ɛnʤɪn	
engines	′ɛnʤɪnz	
engineer	ɛnʤɪ′nɪə(r	ɛnʤɪ′nɪə
engineers	ɛnʤɪ′nɪəz	ɛnʤɪnɪəz
engineering	ɛnʤɪ′nɪərɪŋ	ɛnʤɪ′nɪˑrɪŋ
England	′ɪŋgləndˑ	

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English	ˈɪŋglɪʃ	
Englishman	ˈɪŋglɪʃmən	
Englishmen	ˈɪŋglɪʃmən	
Englishwoman	ˈɪŋglɪʃwʊmən	
Englishwomen	ˈɪŋglɪʃwɪmɪn	
engrave	ɪnˈgreɪv	
engraves	ɪnˈgreɪvz	
engraved	ɪnˈgreɪvd	
engraver	ɪnˈgreɪvə(r	ɪnˈgreɪvə
engravers	ɪnˈgreɪvəz	ɪnˈgreɪvəz
engraving	ɪnˈgreɪvɪŋ	
engravings	ɪnˈgreɪvɪŋz	
enjoy	ɪnˈʤɔɪ	
enjoys	ɪnˈʤɔɪz	
enjoyed	ɪnˈʤɔɪd	
enjoying	ɪnˈʤɔɪɪŋ	
enjoyment	ɪnˈʤɔɪmənt	
enjoyable	ɪnˈʤɔɪəbl̩	
enlarge	ɪnˈlɑːʤ	ɪnˈlɑəʤ
enlarges	ɪnˈlɑːʤɪz	ɪnˈlɑəʤɪz
enlarged	ɪnˈlɑːʤd	ɪnˈlɑəʤd
enlarging	ɪnˈlɑːʤɪŋ	ɪnˈlɑəʤɪŋ
enlargement	ɪnˈlɑːʤmənt	ɪnˈlɑəʤmənt
enlargements	ɪnˈlɑːʤmənts	ɪnˈlɑəʤmənts
enlighten	ɪnˈlaɪtn̩	
enlightens	ɪnˈlaɪtn̩z	
enlightened	ɪnˈlaɪtn̩d	
enlightening	ɪnˈlaɪtn̩ɪŋ	
enlightenment	ɪnˈlaɪtn̩mənt	
enlist	ɪnˈlɪst	
enlists	ɪnˈlɪsts	
enlisted	ɪnˈlɪstɪd	
enlisting	ɪnˈlɪstɪŋ	
enmity	ˈɛnmɪtɪ	
enormous	ɪˈnɔːməs	ɪˈnɔəməs
enormously	ɪˈnɔːməslɪ	ɪˈnɔəməslɪ
enough	ɪˈnʌf	
enquire	ɪnˈkwaɪə(r	ɪnˈkwaɪə
enquires	ɪnˈkwaɪəz	ɪnˈkwaɪəz
enquired	ɪnˈkwaɪəd	ɪnˈkwaɪəd
enquiring	ɪnˈkwaɪərɪŋ	ɪnˈkwaɪrɪŋ
enquirer	ɪnˈkwaɪərə(r	ɪnˈkwaɪrə
enquirers	ɪnˈkwaɪərəz	ɪnˈkwaɪrəz
enquiry	ɪnˈkwaɪərɪ	
enquiries	ɪnˈkwaɪərɪz	
enrage	ɪnˈreɪʤ	
enrages	ɪnˈreɪʤɪz	

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enraged	ɪn'reɪʤd	
enraging	ɪn'reɪʤɪŋ	
enrich	ɪn'rɪʧ	
enriches	ɪn'rɪʧɪz	
enriched	ɪn'rɪʧt	
enriching	ɪn'rɪʧɪŋ	
enrol	ɪn'roʊl	
enrols	ɪn'roʊlz	
enrolled	ɪn'roʊld	
enrolling	ɪn'roʊlɪŋ	
enrolment	ɪn'roʊlmənt	
ensure	ɪn'ʃʊə(r, ɪn'ʃɔə(r	ɪn'ʃʊə
ensures	ɪn'ʃʊəz, ɪn'ʃɔəz	ɪn'ʃʊəz
ensured	ɪn'ʃʊəd, ɪn'ʃɔəd	ɪn'ʃʊəd
ensuring	ɪn'ʃʊərɪŋ, ɪn'ʃɔərɪŋ	ɪn'ʃʊ·rɪŋ
entangle	ɪn'tæŋgl̩	
entangles	ɪn'tæŋgl̩z	
entangled	ɪn'tæŋgl̩d	
entangling	ɪn'tæŋglɪŋ ɪn'tæŋgl̩ɪŋ	
enter	'ɛntə(r	'ɛntə
enters	'ɛntəz	'ɛntəz
entered	'ɛntəd	'ɛntəd
entering	'ɛntərɪŋ	
enterprise	'ɛntəpraɪz	'ɛntəpraɪz
enterprises	'ɛntəpraɪzɪz	'ɛntəpraɪzɪz
entertain	ɛntə'teɪn	ɛntə'teɪn
entertains	ɛntə'teɪnz	ɛntə'teɪnz
entertained	ɛntə'teɪnd	ɛntə'teɪnd
entertaining	ɛntə'teɪnɪŋ	ɛntə'teɪnɪŋ
entertainment	ɛntə'teɪnmənt	ɛntə'teɪnmənt
entertainments	ɛntə'teɪnmənts	ɛntə'teɪnmənts
enthusiasm	ɪn'θju·zɪæzm̩	
enthusiast	ɪn'θju·zɪæst	
enthusiasts	ɪn'θju·zɪæsts	
enthusiastic	ɪnθjuzɪ'æstɪk	
enthusiastically	ɪnθjuzɪ'æstɪkəlɪ	
entire	ɪn'taɪə(r	ɪn'taɪə
entirely	ɪn'taɪəlɪ	ɪn'taɪəlɪ
entirety	ɪn'taɪətɪ	ɪn'taɪətɪ
entitle	ɪn'taɪt̩l	
entitles	ɪn'taɪt̩lz	
entitled	ɪn'taɪt̩ld	
entitling	ɪn'taɪtlɪŋ, ɪn'taɪt̩lɪŋ	
entomology	ɛntə'mɒləʤɪ	ɛntə'mɑləʤɪ
entrance	'ɛntrəns	
entrances	'ɛntrənsɪz	
entrust	ɪn'trʌst	

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entrusts	ɪn′trʌsts	
entrusted	ɪn′trʌstɪd	
entrusting	ɪn′trʌstɪŋ	
entry	′ɛntrɪ	
entries	′ɛntrɪz	
envelope, *noun*	′ɛnvɪloʊp	
	′ɛnvəloʊp	
	′ɒnvəloʊp	
envelopes	′ɛnvɪloʊps	
	′ɛnvəloʊps	
	′ɒnvəloʊps	
envious	′ɛnvɪəs	
enviously	′ɛnvɪəslɪ	
environment	ɪn′vaɪərənmənt	ɪn′vaɪrənmənt
environments	ɪn′vaɪərənmənts	ɪn′vaɪrənmənt
environs	′ɛnvɪrənz	ɪn′vaɪrənz
	ɪn′vaɪərənz	
envy	′ɛnvɪ	
envies	′ɛnvɪz	
envied	′ɛnvɪd	
envying	′ɛnvɪɪŋ	
epidemic	ɛpɪ′dɛmɪk	
epidemics	ɛpɪ′dɛmɪks	
episode	′ɛpɪsoʊd	
episodes	′ɛpɪsoʊdz	
epoch	′iːpɒk	′iːpɑk
epochs	′iːpɒks	′iːpɑks
equal	′iːkwəl	
equals	′iːkwəlz	
equalled	′iːkwəld	
equalling	′iːkwəlɪŋ	
equality	iˈkwɒlɪtɪ	iˈkwɑlɪtɪ
	ɪˈkwɒlɪtɪ	ɪˈkwɑlɪtɪ
equally	′iːkwəlɪ	
equation	ɪˈkweɪʃən	
equations	ɪˈkweɪʃənz	
equator	ɪˈkweɪtə(r	ɪˈkweɪtə
equip	ɪˈkwɪp	
equips	ɪˈkwɪps	
equipped	ɪˈkwɪpt	
equipping	ɪˈkwɪpɪŋ	
equipment	ɪˈkwɪpmənt	
equivalent	ɪˈkwɪvələnt	
equivalents	ɪˈkwɪvələnts	
erase	ɪˈreɪz, ɪˈreɪs	
erases	ɪˈreɪzɪz, ɪˈreɪsɪz	
erased	ɪˈreɪzd, ɪˈreɪst	

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erasing	ɪˈreɪzɪŋ, ɪˈreɪsɪŋ	
eraser	ɪˈreɪzə(r, ɪˈreɪsə(r	ɪˈreɪsə
erasers	ɪˈreɪzəz, ɪˈreɪsəz	ɪˈreɪsəz
erect	ɪˈrɛkt	
Ernest	ˈɜːnɪst	ˈɜənɪst
err	ɜː(r	ɜə
errs	ɜːz	ɜəz
erred	ɜːd	ɜəd
erring	ɜːrɪŋ	
errand	ˈɛrənd	
errands	ˈɛrəndz	
erratic	ɪˈrætɪk	
erroneous	ɪˈroʊnjəs, ɪˈroʊnɪəs	
erroneously	ɪˈroʊnjəslɪ, ɪˈroʊnɪəslɪ	
error	ˈɛrə(r	ɛrə
errors	ˈɛrəz	ˈɛrəz
erudite	ˈɛrudaɪt, ˈiːrudaɪt	
erudition	ɛruˈdɪʃən, iruˈdɪʃən	
erupt	ɪˈrʌpt	
erupts	ɪˈrʌpts	
erupted	ɪˈrʌptɪd	
erupting	ɪˈrʌptɪŋ	
eruption	ɪˈrʌpʃən	
eruptions	ɪˈrʌpʃənz	
escalator	ˈɛskəleɪtə(r	ˈɛskəleɪtə
escalators	ˈɛskəleɪtəz	ˈɛskəleɪtəz
escape	ɪsˈkeɪp	
escapes	ɪsˈkeɪps	
escaped	ɪsˈkeɪpt	
escaping	ɪsˈkeɪpɪŋ	
escort, *noun*	ˈɛskɔːt	ˈɛskɔət
escorts	ˈɛskɔːts	ˈɛskɔəts
escort, *verb*	ɪsˈkɔːt	ɪsˈkɔət
escorts	ɪsˈkɔːts	ɪsˈkɔəts
escorted	ɪsˈkɔːtɪd	ɪsˈkɔətɪd
escorting	ɪsˈkɔːtɪŋ	ɪsˈkɔətɪŋ
especially	ɪsˈpɛʃəlɪ	
esquire	ɪsˈkwaɪə(r	ɪsˈkwaɪə
essay, *noun*	ˈɛseɪ	
essays	ˈɛseɪz	
essence	ˈɛsn̩s	
essential	ɪˈsɛnʃəl	
essentially	ɪˈsɛnʃəlɪ	
establish	ɪsˈtæblɪʃ	
establishes	ɪsˈtæblɪʃɪz	
established	ɪsˈtæblɪʃt	
establishing	ɪsˈtæblɪʃɪŋ	

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establishment	ɪs′tæblɪʃmənt	
establishments	ɪs′tæblɪʃmənts	
esteem	ɪs′tiːm	
esteems	ɪs′tiːmz	
esteemed	ɪs′tiːmd	
esteeming	ɪs′tiːmɪŋ	
estimate, *noun*	′ɛstɪmɪt, ′ɛstɪmeɪt	
estimates	′ɛstɪmɪts, ′ɛstɪmeɪts	
estimate, *verb*	′ɛstɪmeɪt	
estimates	′ɛstɪmeɪts	
estimated	′ɛstɪmeɪtɪd	
estimating	′ɛstɪmeɪtɪŋ	
estimation	ɛstɪ′meɪʃən	
etc. = etcetera	ɪt′sɛtrə, ɛt′sɛtrə	
eternal	ɪ′tɜːnəl	ɪ′tɜənəl
eternally	ɪ′tɜːnəlɪ	ɪ′tɜənəlɪ
eternity	ɪ′tɜːnɪtɪ	ɪ′tɜənɪtɪ
Ethel	′ɛθl̩	
ether	′iːθə(r	′iːθə
ethics	′ɛθɪks	
etiquette	ɛtɪ′kɛt, ′ɛtɪkɛt	
etymological	ɛtɪmə′lɒʤɪkəl	ɛtɪmə′lɑʤɪkəl
etymologically	ɛtɪmə′lɒʤɪkəlɪ	ɛtɪmə′lɑʤɪkəlɪ
etymologist	ɛtɪ′mɒləʤɪst	ɛtɪ′mɑləʤɪst
etymologists	ɛtɪ′mɒləʤɪsts	ɛtɪ′mɑləʤɪsts
etymology	ɛtɪ′mɒləʤɪ	ɛtɪ′mɑləʤɪ
Europe	′juərəp	juːrəp
European	juərə′piːən	jurə′piːən
Europeans	juərə′piːənz	jurə′piːənz
evaporate	ɪ′væpəreɪt	
evaporates	ɪ′væpəreɪts	
evaporated	ɪ′væpəreɪtɪd	
evaporating	ɪ′væpəreɪtɪŋ	
evaporation	ɪvæpə′reɪʃən	
evasive	ɪ′veɪsɪv	
even	′iːvn̩	
evening	′iːvnɪŋ	
evenings	′iːvnɪŋz	
evenly	′iːvn̩lɪ	
event	ɪ′vɛnt	
events	ɪ′vɛnts	
eventful	ɪ′vɛntfʊl	
eventual	ɪ′vɛntjʊəl	
eventually	ɪ′vɛntjʊəlɪ	
ever	′ɛvə(r	′ɛvə
every	′ɛvrɪ	
everybody	′ɛvrɪbɒdɪ	′ɛvrɪbɑdɪ

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everyday	ˈɛvrɪˈdeɪ	
everyone	ˈɛvrɪwʌn	
everything	ˈɛvrɪθɪŋ	
everywhere	ˈɛvrɪ*h*wɛə(r	ˈɛvrɪhwɛə
evidence	ˈɛvɪdəns	
evident	ˈɛvɪdənt	
evidently	ˈɛvɪdəntlɪ	
evil	ˈiːvɪl	
evils	ˈiːvɪlz	
evolution	ivəˈljuːʃən, ɛvəˈljuːʃən	
ex-, *prefix meaning* former	ɛks	
exact	ɪgˈzækt	
exactly	ɪgˈzæktlɪ	
exaggerate	ɪgˈzædʒəreɪt	
exaggerates	ɪgˈzædʒəreɪts	
exaggerated	ɪgˈzædʒəreɪtɪd	
exaggerating	ɪgˈzædʒəreɪtɪŋ	
exaggeration	ɪgzædʒəˈreɪʃən	
exaltation	ɛgzɔlˈteɪʃən	
examination	ɪgzæmɪˈneɪʃən	
examinations	ɪgzæmɪˈneɪʃənz	
examine	ɪgˈzæmɪn	
examines	ɪgˈzæmɪnz	
examined	ɪgˈzæmɪnd	
examining	ɪgˈzæmɪnɪŋ	
examiner	ɪgˈzæmɪnə(r	ɪgˈzæmɪnə
examiners	ɪgˈzæmɪnəz	ɪgˈzæmɪnəz
example	ɪgˈzɑːmpl̩	ɪgˈzaːmpl̩
examples	ɪgˈzɑːmpl̩z	ɪgˈzaːmpl̩z
exasperate	ɪgˈzɑːspəreɪt ɪgˈzæspəreɪt	ɪgˈzaːspəreɪt
exasperates	ɪgˈzɑːspəreɪts ɪgˈzæspəreɪts	ɪgˈzaːspəreɪts
exasperated	ɪgˈzɑːspəreɪtɪd ɪgˈzæspəreɪtɪd	ɪgˈzaːspəreɪtɪd
exasperating	ɪgˈzɑːspəreɪtɪŋ ɪgˈzæspəreɪtɪŋ	ɪgˈzaːspəreɪtɪŋ
exasperation	ɪgzɑspəˈreɪʃən ɪgzæspəˈreɪʃən	ɪgzaspəˈreɪʃən
excavate	ˈɛkskəveɪt	
excavates	ˈɛkskəveɪts	
excavated	ˈɛkskəveɪtɪd	
excavating	ˈɛkskəveɪtɪŋ	
excavation	ɛkskəˈveɪʃən	
excavations	ɛkskəˈveɪʃənz	
exceed	ɪkˈsiːd	

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exceeds	ɪk′siːdz	
exceeded	ɪk′siːdɪd	
exceeding	ɪk′siːdɪŋ	
exceedingly	ɪk′siːdɪŋlɪ	
excel	ɪk′sɛl	
excels	ɪk′sɛlz	
excelled	ɪk′sɛld	
excelling	ɪk′sɛlɪŋ	
excellence	′ɛksələns	
excellency	′ɛksələnsɪ	
excellencies	′ɛksələnsɪz	
excellent	′ɛksələnt	
excellently	′ɛksələntlɪ	
except	ɪk′sɛpt	
excepts	ɪk′sɛpts	
excepted	ɪk′sɛptɪd	
excepting	ɪk′sɛptɪŋ	
exception	ɪk′sɛpʃən	
exceptions	ɪk′sɛpʃənz	
exceptional	ɪk′sɛpʃənəl	
exceptionally	ɪk′sɛpʃənəlɪ	
excess	ɪk′sɛs	
excessive	ɪk′sɛsɪv	
exchange	ɪks′tʃeɪnʤ	
exchanges	ɪks′tʃeɪnʤɪz	
exchanged	ɪks′tʃeɪnʤd	
exchanging	ɪks′tʃeɪnʤɪŋ	
excite	ɪk′saɪt	
excites	ɪk′saɪts	
excited	ɪk′saɪtɪd	
exciting	ɪk′saɪtɪŋ	
excitement	ɪk′saɪtmənt	
exclaim	ɪks′kleɪm	
exclaims	ɪks′kleɪmz	
exclaimed	ɪks′kleɪmd	
exclaiming	ɪk′skleɪmɪŋ	
exclamation	ɛksklə′meɪʃən	
exclamations	ɛksklə′meɪʃənz	
exclamatory	ɪks′klæmətərɪ	ɪks′klæmətorɪ
exclude	ɪks′kluːd	
excludes	ɪks′kluːdz	
excluded	ɪks′kluːdɪd	
excluding	ɪks′kluːdɪŋ	
exclusion	ɪks′kluːʒən	
exclusive	ɪks′kluːsɪv	
exclusively	ɪks′kluːsɪvlɪ	
excursion	ɪks′kəːʃən	ɪks′kəəʃən, ɪks′kəəʒən

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excursions	ɪks′kəˑʃənz	ɪks′kəəʃənz ɪks′kəəʒənz
excursionist	ɪks′kəˑʃənɪst	ɪks′kəəʃənɪst ɪks′kəəʒənɪst
excursionists	ɪks′kəˑʃənɪsts	ɪks′kəəʃənɪsts ɪks′kəəʒənɪsts
excusable	ɪks′kjuˑzəbl̩	
excusably	ɪks′kjuˑzəblɪ	
excuse, *noun*	ɪks′kjuˑs	
excuses	ɪks′kjuˑsɪz	
excuse, *verb*	ɪks′kjuˑz	
excuses	ɪks′kjuˑzɪz	
excused	ɪks′kjuˑzd	
excusing	ɪks′kjuˑzɪŋ	
execute	′ɛksɪkjut	
executes	′ɛksɪkjuts	
executed	′ɛksɪkjutɪd	
executing	′ɛksɪkjutɪŋ	
execution	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃən	
executions	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃənz	
executioner	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃənə(r	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃənə
executioners	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃənəz	ɛksɪ′kjuˑʃənəz
executive	ɪg′zɛkjutɪv	
executor	ɪg′zɛkjutə(r	ɪg′zɛkjutə
executors	ɪg′zɛkjutəz	ɪg′zɛkjutəz
exemplify	ɪg′zɛmplɪfaɪ	
exemplifies	ɪg′zɛmplɪfaɪz	
exemplified	ɪg′zɛmplɪfaɪd	
exemplifying	ɪg′zɛmplɪfaɪɪŋ	
exempt	ɪg′zɛmɸt	
exempts	ɪg′zɛmɸts	
exempted	ɪg′zɛmɸtɪd	
exempting	ɪg′zɛmɸtɪŋ	
exemption	ɪg′zɛmɸʃən	
exemptions	ɪg′zɛmɸʃənz	
exercise	′ɛksəsaɪz	′ɛksəsaɪz
exercises	′ɛksəsaɪzɪz	′ɛksəsaɪzɪz
exercised	′ɛksəsaɪzd	′ɛksəsaɪzd
exercising	′ɛksəsaɪzɪŋ	′ɛksəsaɪzɪŋ
exert	ɪg′zəˑt	ɪg′zəət
exerts	ɪg′zəˑts	ɪg′zəəts
exerted	ɪg′zəˑtɪd	ɪg′zəətɪd
exerting	ɪg′zəˑtɪŋ	ɪg′zəətɪŋ
exertion	ɪg′zəˑʃən	ɪg′zəəʃən
exertions	ɪg′zəˑʃənz	ɪg′zəəʃənz
exhaust	ɪg′zɔˑst	
exhausts	ɪg′zɔˑsts	

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exhausted	ɪg′zɔˑstɪd	
exhausting	ɪg′zɔˑstɪŋ	
exhaustion	ɪg′zɔˑstʃən	
exhaustive	ɪg′zɔˑstɪv	
exhaustively	ɪg′zɔˑstɪvlɪ	
exhibit	ɪg′zɪbɪt	
exhibits	ɪg′zɪbɪts	
exhibited	ɪg′zɪbɪtɪd	
exhibiting	ɪg′zɪbɪtɪŋ	
exhibitor	ɪg′zɪbɪtə(r	ɪg′zɪbɪtə
exhibitors	ɪg′zɪbɪtəz	ɪg′zɪbɪtəz
exhibition	ɛksɪ′bɪʃən	
exhibitions	ɛksɪ′bɪʃənz	
exhilarate	ɪg′zɪləreɪt	
exhilarates	ɪg′zɪləreɪts	
exhilarated	ɪg′zɪləreɪtɪd	
exhilarating	ɪg′zɪləreɪtɪŋ	
exhilaration	ɪg′zɪlə′reɪʃən	
exile	′ɛksaɪl, ′ɛgzaɪl	
exiles	′ɛksaɪlz, ′ɛgzaɪlz	
exist	ɪg′zɪst	
exists	ɪg′zɪsts	
existed	ɪg′zɪstɪd	
existing	ɪg′zɪstɪŋ	
existence	ɪg′zɪstəns	
existences	ɪg′zɪstənsɪz	
exit	′ɛksɪt	
exits	′ɛksɪts	
exonerate	ɪg′zɒnəreɪt	ɪg′zɑnəreɪt
exonerates	ɪg′zɒnəreɪts	ɪg′zɑnəreɪts
exonerated	ɪg′zɒnəreɪtɪd	ɪg′zɑnəreɪtɪd
exonerating	ɪg′zɒnəreɪtɪŋ	ɪg′zɑnəreɪtɪŋ
exotic	ɛk′sɒtɪk, ɛk′zɒtɪk	ɛk′sɑtɪk, ɛk′zɑtɪk
	ɛg′zɒtɪk	ɛg′zɑtɪk
expand	ɪks′pænd	
expands	ɪks′pændz	
expanded	ɪks′pændɪd	
expanding	ɪks′pændɪŋ	
expansion	ɪks′pænʃən	
expect	ɪks′pɛkt	
expects	ɪks′pɛkts	
expected	ɪks′pɛktɪd	
expecting	ɪks′pɛktɪŋ	
expectation	ɛkspɛk′teɪʃən	
expectations	ɛkspɛk′teɪʃənz	
expedient	ɪks′piˑdjənt	
	ɪks′piˑdɪənt	

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expedients	ɪks′piˈdjənts	
	ɪks′piˈdiənts	
expedition	ɛkspɪ′dɪʃən	
expeditions	ɛkspɪ′dɪʃənz	
expel	ɪks′pɛl	
expels	ɪks′pɛlz	
expelled	ɪks′pɛld	
expelling	ɪks′pɛlɪŋ	
expend	ɪks′pɛnd	
expends	ɪks′pɛndz	
expended	ɪks′pɛndɪd	
expending	ɪks′pɛndɪŋ	
expenditure	ɪks′pɛnditʃə(r	ɪks′pɛndɪtʃə
expense	ɪks′pɛns	
expenses	ɪks′pɛnsɪz	
expensive	ɪks′pɛnsɪv	
expensively	ɪks′pɛnsɪvlɪ	
experience	ɪks′pɪərɪəns	ɪks′pɪˈrɪəns
experiences	ɪks′pɪərɪənsɪz	ɪks′pɪˈrɪənsɪz
experienced	ɪks′pɪərɪənst	ɪks′pɪˈrɪənst
experiencing	ɪks′pɪərɪənsɪŋ	ɪks′pɪˈrɪənsɪŋ
experiment, *noun*	ɪks′pɛrɪmənt	
experiments	ɪks′pɛrɪmənts	
experiment, *verb*	ɪks′pɛrɪment	
experiments	ɪks′pɛrɪments	
experimented	ɪks′pɛrɪmentɪd	
experimenting	ɪks′pɛrɪmentɪŋ	
experimental	ɛkspɛrɪ′mentl̩	
	ɪkspɛrɪ′mentl̩	
experimentally	ɛkspɛrɪ′mentəlɪ	
	ɪkspɛrɪ′mentəlɪ	
expert, *noun*	′ɛkspət	′ɛkspəət
experts	′ɛkspəts	′ɛkspəəts
expert, *adj.*	ɪks′pəˈt, ′ɛkspət	ɪks′pəət, ′ɛkspəət
expertly	ɪks′pəˈtlɪ, ′ɛkspətlɪ	ɪks′pəətlɪ, ′ɛkspəətlɪ
expiration	ɛkspɪ′reɪʃən	
expire	ɪks′paɪə(r	ɪks′paɪə
expires	ɪks′paɪəz	ɪks′paɪəz
expired	ɪks′paɪəd	ɪks′paɪəd
expiring	ɪks′paɪərɪŋ	ɪks′paɪrɪŋ
expiry	ɪks′paɪərɪ	
explain	ɪks′pleɪn	
explains	ɪks′pleɪnz	
explained	ɪks′pleɪnd	
explaining	ɪks′pleɪnɪŋ	
explainable	ɪks′pleɪnəbl̩	
explanation	ɛksplə′neɪʃən	

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explanations	ɛksplə'neɪʃənz	
explanatory	ɪks'plænətərɪ	ɪks'plænətorɪ
explicit	ɪks'plɪsɪt	
explicitly	ɪks'plɪsɪtlɪ	
explode	ɪks'ploʊd	
explodes	ɪks'ploʊdz	
exploded	ɪks'ploʊdɪd	
exploding	ɪks'ploʊdɪŋ	
exploration	ɛksplɔ'reɪʃən ɛksplə'reɪʃən	
explorations	ɛksplɔ'reɪʃənz ɛksplə'reɪʃənz	
explore	ɪks'plɔ·(r, ɪks'plɔə(r	ɪks'ploə
explores	ɪks'plɔ·z, ɪks'plɔəz	ɪks'ploəz
explored	ɪks'plɔ·d, ɪks'plɔəd	ɪks'ploəd
exploring	ɪks'plɔ·rɪŋ ɪks'plɔərɪŋ	ɪks'plo·rɪŋ
explorer	ɪks'plɔ·rə(r ɪks'plɔərə(r	ɪks'plo·rə
explorers	ɪks'plɔ·rəz ɪks'plɔərəz	ɪks'plo·rəz
explosion	ɪks'ploʊʒən	
explosions	ɪks'ploʊʒənz	
explosive	ɪks'ploʊsɪv	
explosives	ɪks'ploʊsɪvz	
export, *noun*	'ɛkspɔt	'ɛkspoət
exports	'ɛkspɔts	'ɛkspoəts
export, *verb*	ɪks'pɔ·t	ɪks'poət
exports	ɪks'pɔ·ts	ɪks'poəts
exported	ɪks'pɔ·tɪd	ɪks'poətɪd
exporting	ɪks'pɔ·tɪŋ	ɪks'poətɪŋ
exporter	ɪks'pɔ·tə(r	ɪks'poətə
exporters	ɪks'pɔ·təz	ɪks'poətəz
exportation	ɛkspɔ'teɪʃən	ɛkspoə'teɪʃən
expose	ɪks'poʊz	
exposes	ɪks'poʊzɪz	
exposed	ɪks'poʊzd	
exposing	ɪks'poʊzɪŋ	
exposure	ɪks'poʊʒə(r	ɪks'poʊʒə
exposures	ɪks'poʊʒəz	ɪks'poʊʒəz
express	ɪks'prɛs	
expresses	ɪks'prɛsɪz	
expressed	ɪks'prɛst	
expressing	ɪks'prɛsɪŋ	
expression	ɪks'prɛʃən	
expressions	ɪks'prɛʃənz	
expressive	ɪks'prɛsɪv	

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exquisite	ˈɛkskwɪzɪt	
exquisitely	ˈɛkskwɪzɪtlɪ	
extend	ɪksˈtɛnd	
extends	ɪksˈtɛndz	
extended	ɪksˈtɛndɪd	
extending	ɪksˈtɛndɪŋ	
extension	ɪksˈtɛnʃən	
extensions	ɪksˈtɛnʃənz	
extensive	ɪksˈtɛnsɪv	
extensively	ɪksˈtɛnsɪvlɪ	
extent	ɪksˈtɛnt	
exterior	ɪksˈtɪərɪə(r	ɪksˈtɪˑrɪə
exterminate	ɪksˈtəˑmɪneɪt	ɪksˈtəəmɪneɪt
exterminates	ɪksˈtəˑmɪneɪts	ɪksˈtəəmɪneɪts
exterminated	ɪksˈtəˑmɪneɪtɪd	ɪksˈtəəmɪneɪtɪd
exterminating	ɪksˈtəˑmɪneɪtɪŋ	ɪksˈtəəmɪneɪtɪŋ
external	ɪksˈtəˑn|	ɪksˈtəən|
externally	ɪksˈtəˑnəlɪ	ɪksˈtəənəlɪ
extinct	ɪksˈtɪŋk̚t	
extortionate	ɪksˈtɔˑʃənɪt	ɪksˈtɔəʃənɪt
extra	ˈɛkstrə	
extras	ˈɛkstrəz	
extract, *noun*	ˈɛkstrækt	
extracts	ˈɛkstrækts	
extract, *verb*	ɪksˈtrækt	
extracts	ɪksˈtrækts	
extracted	ɪksˈtræktɪd	
extracting	ɪksˈtræktɪŋ	
extraordinarily	ɪksˈtrɔˑdɪnrɪlɪ	ɪksˈtrɔədɪnɛrɪlɪ
	ɪksˈtrɔˑdɪnərɪlɪ	
	ɛkstrəˈɔˑdɪnrɪlɪ	ɛkstrəˈɔədɪnɛrɪlɪ
	ɛkstrəˈɔˑdɪnərɪlɪ	
extraordinary	ɪksˈtrɔˑdɪnrɪ	ɪkstrəˈɔədɪnɛrɪ
	ɪkstrəˈɔˑdɪnərɪ	
	ɛkstrəˈɔˑdɪnrɪ	ɛkstrəˈɔədɪnɛrɪ
	ɛkstrəˈɔˑdɪnərɪ	
extravagance	ɪksˈtrævɪgəns	
	ɪksˈtrævəgəns	
extravagant	ɪksˈtrævɪgənt	
	ɪksˈtrævəgənt	
extreme	ɪksˈtriˑm	
extremes	ɪksˈtriˑmz	
extremely	ɪksˈtriˑmlɪ	
extremity	ɪksˈtrɛmɪtɪ	
extremities	ɪksˈtrɛmɪtɪz	
eye	aɪ	
eyes	aɪz	

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eyeglass	ˈaɪglɑs	ˈaɪglas
eyeglasses	aɪglɑsɪz	ˈaɪglasɪz

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F	ɛf	
F's	ɛfs	
fable	ˈfeɪbl̩	
fables	ˈfeɪbl̩z	
face	feɪs	
faces	ˈfeɪsɪz	
faced	feɪst	
facing	ˈfeɪsɪŋ	
facilitate	fəˈsɪlɪteɪt	
facilitates	fəˈsɪlɪteɪts	
facilitated	fəˈsɪlɪteɪtɪd	
facilitating	fəˈsɪlɪteɪtɪŋ	
facility	fəˈsɪlɪtɪ	
facilities	fəˈsɪlɪtɪz	
fact	fækt	
facts	fækts	
factor	ˈfæktə(r	ˈfæktə
factors	ˈfæktəz	ˈfæktəz
factory	ˈfæktərɪ	
factories	ˈfæktərɪz	
fade	feɪd	
fades	feɪdz	
faded	ˈfeɪdɪd	
fading	ˈfeɪdɪŋ	
Fahrenheit	ˈfærənhaɪt, ˈfɑˑrənhaɪt	ˈfaˑrənhaɪt
fail	feɪl	
fails	feɪlz	
failed	feɪld	
failing	ˈfeɪlɪŋ	
failings	ˈfeɪlɪŋz	
failure	ˈfeɪljə(r	ˈfeɪljə
failures	ˈfeɪljəz	ˈfeɪljəz
faint	feɪnt	
faints	feɪnts	
fainted	ˈfeɪntɪd	
fainting	ˈfeɪntɪŋ	
faintly	ˈfeɪntlɪ	
faintness	ˈfeɪntnɪs	
fair	fɛə(r	fɛə
fairer	ˈfɛərə(r	ˈfɛˑrə

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fairest	ˈfɛərɪst	ˈfɛˑrɪst
fairly	ˈfɛəlɪ	ˈfɛəlɪ
fairness	ˈfɛənɪs	ˈfɛənɪs
fairy	ˈfɛərɪ	ˈfɛˑrɪ
fairies	ˈfɛərɪz	ˈfɛˑrɪz
faith	feɪθ	
faiths	feɪθs	
faithful	ˈfeɪθfʊl	
faithfully	feɪθfʊlɪ, ˈfeɪθfəlɪ	
fall	fɔˑl	
falls	fɔˑlz	
fell	fɛl	
fallen	ˈfɔˑlən	
falling	ˈfɔˑlɪŋ	
fallacy	ˈfæləsɪ	
fallacies	ˈfæləsɪz	
false	fɔls, fɒls	
falser	ˈfɔlsə(r, ˈfɒlsə(r	ˈfɔlsə, ˈfɒlsə
falsest	ˈfɔlsɪst, ˈfɒlsɪst	
falsely	ˈfɔlslɪ, ˈfɒlslɪ	
fame	feɪm	
familiar	fəˈmɪljə(r	fəˈmɪljə
familiarity	fəmɪlɪˈærɪtɪ	
familiarities	fəmɪlɪˈærɪtɪz	
familiarize	fəˈmɪljəraɪz	
familiarizes	fəˈmɪljəraɪzɪz	
familiarized	fəˈmɪljəraɪzd	
familiarizing	fəˈmɪljəraɪzɪŋ	
familiarly	fəˈmɪljəlɪ	fəˈmɪljəlɪ
family	ˈfæmɪlɪ	
families	ˈfæmɪlɪz	
famine	ˈfæmɪn	
famines	ˈfæmɪnz	
famous	ˈfeɪməs	
famously	ˈfeɪməslɪ	
fan	fæn	
fans	fænz	
fanned	fænd	
fanning	ˈfænɪŋ	
fanatic	fəˈnætɪk	
fanatics	fəˈnætɪks	
fanaticism	fəˈnætɪsɪzm̩	
fancy	ˈfænsɪ	
fancies	ˈfænsɪz	
fancied	ˈfænsɪd	
fancying	ˈfænsɪŋ	
fantastic	fænˈtæstɪk	

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fantastically	fæn'tæstɪkəlɪ	
far	fɑ·(r	fɑə
fare	fɛə(r	fɛə
fares	fɛəz	fɛəz
farewell	'fɛə'wɛl	'fɛə'wɛl
farewells	'fɛə'wɛlz	'fɛə'wɛlz
farm	fɑ·m	fɑəm
farms	fɑ·mz	fɑəmz
farmer	'fɑ·mə(r	'fɑəmə
farmers	'fɑ·məz	'fɑəməz
farming	'fɑ·mɪŋ	'fɑəmɪŋ
farther	'fɑ·ðə(r	'fɑəðə
farthest	'fɑ·ðɪst	'fɑəðɪst
fascinate	'fæsɪneɪt	
fascinates	'fæsɪneɪts	
fascinated	'fæsɪneɪtɪd	
fascinating	'fæsɪneɪtɪŋ	
fascination	fæsɪ'neɪʃən	
fascinations	fæsɪ'neɪʃənz	
fashion	'fæʃən	
fashions	'fæʃənz	
fashionable	'fæʃənəbl̩	
fashionably	'fæʃənəblɪ	
fast	fɑ·st	fa·st
faster	'fɑ·stə(r	'fa·stə
fastest	'fɑ·stɪst	'fa·stɪst
fasten	'fɑ·sn̩	'fa·sn̩
fastens	'fɑ·sn̩z	'fa·sn̩z
fastened	'fɑ·sn̩d	'fa·sn̩d
fastening	'fɑ·sn̩ɪŋ	'fa·sn̩ɪŋ
fat	fæt	
fatter	'fætə(r	'fætə
fattest	'fætɪst	
fatal	'feɪtl̩	
fatally	'feɪtəlɪ	
fate	feɪt	
father	'fɑ·ðə(r	'fɑ·ðə
fathers	'fɑ·ðəz	'fɑ·ðəz
fatigue	fə'ti·g	
faucet	'fɔ·sɪt	
faucets	'fɔ·sɪts	
fault	fɔ·lt, fɒlt	
faults	fɔ·lts, fɒlts	
faultless	'fɔ·ltlɪs, 'fɒltlɪs	
faultlessly	'fɔ·ltlɪslɪ, 'fɒltlɪslɪ	
faulty	'fɔ·ltɪ, 'fɒltɪ	
favor (*Amer.*)		

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favour	ˈfeɪvə(r	ˈfeɪvə
favors (*Amer.*)		
favours	ˈfeɪvəz	ˈfeɪvəz
favored (*Amer.*)		
favoured	ˈfeɪvəd	ˈfeɪvəd
favoring (*Amer.*)		
favouring	ˈfeɪvərɪŋ	
favorable (*Amer.*)		
favourable	ˈfeɪvərəb]	
favorably (*Amer.*)		
favourably	ˈfeɪvərəblɪ	
favorite (*Amer.*)		
favourite	ˈfeɪvərɪt	
favorites (*Amer.*)		
favourites	ˈfeɪvərɪts	
fear	fɪə(r	fɪə
fears	fɪəz	fɪəz
feared	fɪəd	fɪəd
fearing	ˈfɪərɪŋ	ˈfɪˑrɪŋ
fearful	ˈfɪəful	ˈfɪəful
fearfully	fɪəfulɪ, ˈfɪəfəlɪ	ˈfɪəfulɪ, ˈfɪəfəlɪ
feast	fiˑst	
feasts	fiˑsts	
feather	ˈfɛðə(r	ˈfɛðə
feathers	ˈfɛðəz	ˈfɛðəz
feature	ˈfiˑtʃə(r	ˈfiˑtʃə
features	ˈfiˑtʃəz	ˈfiˑtʃəz
February	ˈfɛbruərɪ	ˈfɛbruɛrɪ
FED *from* feed	fɛd	
fee	fiˑ	
fees	fiˑz	
feed	fiˑd	
feeds	fiˑdz	
fed	fɛd	
feeding	ˈfiˑdɪŋ	
feel	fiˑl	
feels	fiˑlz	
felt	fɛlt	
feeling	ˈfiˑlɪŋ	
feelings	ˈfiˑlɪŋz	
FEET *plur. of* foot	fiˑt	
FELL *from* fall	fɛl	
fellow	ˈfɛlou	
fellows	ˈfɛlouz	
felt	fɛlt	
FELT *from* feel	fɛlt	
female	ˈfiˑmeɪl	

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females	ˈfiːmeɪlz	
feminine	ˈfɛmɪnɪn	
fence	fɛns	
fences	ˈfɛnsɪz	
ferocious	fəˈroʊʃəs	
ferry	ˈfɛrɪ	
ferries	ˈfɛrɪz	
fertile	ˈfəːtaɪl	ˈfəətɪl
festival	ˈfɛstɪv|, ˈfɛstəv|	
festivals	ˈfɛstɪv|z, ˈfɛstəv|z	
festivity	fɛsˈtɪvɪtɪ	
festivities	fɛsˈtɪvɪtɪz	
fetch	fɛtʃ	
fetches	ˈfɛtʃɪz	
fetched	fɛtʃt	
fetching	ˈfɛtʃɪŋ	
feudal	ˈfjuːdəl	
fever	ˈfiːvə(r	ˈfiːvə
feverish	ˈfiːvərɪʃ	
feverishly	ˈfiːvərɪʃlɪ	
few	fjuː	
fewer	ˈfjuːə(r	ˈfjuːə
fewest	ˈfjuːɪst	
fickle	ˈfɪk|	
fiction	ˈfɪkʃən	
fictitious	fɪkˈtɪʃəs	
fidget	ˈfɪʤɪt	
fidgets	ˈfɪʤɪts	
fidgeted	ˈfɪʤɪtɪd	
fidgeting	ˈfɪʤɪtɪŋ	
fidgety	ˈfɪʤɪtɪ	
field	fiːld	
fields	fiːldz	
fierce	fɪəs	fɪəs
fiercer	ˈfɪəsə(r	ˈfɪəsə
fiercest	ˈfɪəsɪst	ˈfɪəsɪst
fiercely	ˈfɪəslɪ	ˈfɪəslɪ
fierceness	ˈfɪəsnɪs	ˈfɪəsnɪs
fifteen	ˈfɪfˈtiːn	
fifteenth	ˈfɪfˈtiːnθ	
fifteenths	ˈfɪfˈtiːnθs	
fifth	fɪfθ	
fifths	fɪfθs	
fifty	ˈfɪftɪ	
fiftieth	ˈfɪftɪɪθ	
fiftieths	ˈfɪftɪɪθs	
fig	fɪg	

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figs	fɪgz	
fight	faɪt	
fights	faɪts	
fought	fɔˈt	
fighting	ˈfaɪtɪŋ	
fighter	ˈfaɪtə(r	ˈfaɪtə
fighters	ˈfaɪtəz	ˈfaɪtəz
figure	ˈfɪgə(r	ˈfɪgjə
figures	ˈfɪgəz	ˈfɪgjəz
file	faɪl	
files	faɪlz	
fill	fɪl	
fills	fɪlz	
filled	fɪld	
filling	ˈfɪlɪŋ	
film	fɪlm	
films	fɪlmz	
filter	ˈfɪltə(r	ˈfɪltə
filters	ˈfɪltəz	ˈfɪltəz
filthy	ˈfɪlθɪ	
fin	fɪn	
fins	fɪnz	
final	ˈfaɪnl̩	
finally	ˈfaɪnəlɪ	
finance	fɪˈnæns, faɪˈnæns	
finances	fɪˈnænsɪz, faɪˈnænsɪz	
financial	fɪˈnænʃəl, faɪˈnænʃəl	
financially	fɪˈnænʃəlɪ, faɪˈnænʃəlɪ	
find	faɪnd	
finds	faɪndz	
found	faʊnd	
finding	ˈfaɪndɪŋ	
finder	ˈfaɪndə(r	ˈfaɪndə
finders	ˈfaɪndəz	ˈfaɪndəz
fine	faɪn	
finer	ˈfaɪnə(r	ˈfaɪnə
finest	ˈfaɪnɪst	
finely	ˈfaɪnlɪ	
fineness	ˈfaɪnnɪs	
finger	ˈfɪŋgə(r	ˈfɪŋgə
fingers	ˈfɪŋgəz	ˈfɪŋgəz
finish	ˈfɪnɪʃ	
finishes	ˈfɪnɪʃɪz	
finished	ˈfɪnɪʃt	
finishing	ˈfɪnɪʃɪŋ	
finite	ˈfaɪnaɪt	
fir	fɜˈ(r	fɜɜˈ

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firs	fɜˈz	fɜəz
fire	ˈfaɪə(r	ˈfaɪə
fires	ˈfaɪəz	ˈfaɪəz
fired	ˈfaɪəd	ˈfaɪəd
firing	ˈfaɪərɪŋ	
fireworks	ˈfaɪəwɜks	ˈfaɪəwɜəks
firm	fɜˈm	fɜəm
firms	fɜˈmz	fɜəmz
firmer	ˈfɜˈmə(r	ˈfɜəmə
firmest	ˈfɜˈmɪst	ˈfɜəmɪst
firmly	ˈfɜˈmlɪ	ˈfɜəmlɪ
firmness	ˈfɜˈmnɪs	ˈfɜəmnɪs
first	fɜˈst	fɜəst
first-class	ˈfɜˈstˈklɑˈs	ˈfɜəstˈklaˈs
firstly	ˈfɜˈstlɪ	ˈfɜəstlɪ
fish	fɪʃ	
fishes	ˈfɪʃɪz	
fished	fɪʃt	
fishing	ˈfɪʃɪŋ	
fisherman	ˈfɪʃəmən	ˈfɪʃəmən
fishermen	ˈfɪʃəmən	ˈfɪʃəmən
fist	fɪst	
fists	fɪsts	
fit	fɪt	
fitter	ˈfɪtə(r	ˈfɪtə
fittest	ˈfɪtɪst	
fits	fɪts	
fitted	ˈfɪtɪd	
fitting	ˈfɪtɪŋ	
fitness	ˈfɪtnɪs	
five	faɪv	
fix	fɪks	
fixes	ˈfɪksɪz	
fixed	fɪkst	
fixing	ˈfɪksɪŋ	
flag	flæg	
flags	flægz	
flake	fleɪk	
flakes	fleɪks	
flame	fleɪm	
flames	fleɪmz	
flannel	ˈflæn|	
flannels	ˈflæn|z	
flap	flæp	
flaps	flæps	
flapped	flæpt	
flapping	ˈflæpɪŋ	

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flash	flæʃ	
flashes	ˈflæʃɪz	
flashed	flæʃt	
flashing	ˈflæʃɪŋ	
flask	flɑˈsk	flaˈsk
flasks	flɑˈsks	flaˈsks
flat	flæt	
flatter	ˈflætə(r	ˈflætə
flattest	ˈflætɪst	
flatness	ˈflætnɪs	
flatten	ˈflætn̩	
flattens	ˈflætn̩z	
flattened	ˈflætn̩d	
flattening	ˈflætn̩ɪŋ	
flatter	ˈflætə(r	ˈflætə
flatters	ˈflætəz	ˈflætəz
flattered	ˈflætəd	ˈflætəd
flattering	ˈflætərɪŋ	
flatterer	ˈflætərə(r	ˈflætərə
flatterers	ˈflætərəz	ˈflætərəz
flavour	ˈfleɪvə(r	ˈfleɪvə
flavours	ˈfleɪvəz	ˈfleɪvəz
flaw	flɔˈ	
flaws	flɔˈz	
flea	fliˈ	
fleas	fliˈz	
fleet	fliˈt	
fleets	fliˈts	
flesh	flɛʃ	
FLEW *from* fly	fluˈ	
flexible	ˈflɛksɪbl̩, ˈflɛksəbl̩	
flight	flaɪt	
flights	flaɪts	
fling	flɪŋ	
flings	flɪŋz	
flung	flʌŋ	
flinging	ˈflɪŋɪŋ	
flint	flɪnt	
float	floʊt	
floats	floʊts	
floated	ˈfloʊtɪd	
floating	ˈfloʊtɪŋ	
flock	flɒk	flɑk
flocks	flɒks	flɑks
flood	flʌd	
floods	flʌdz	
flooded	ˈflʌdɪd	

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flooding	ˈflʌdɪŋ	
floor	flɔˑ(r, flɔə(r	floə
floors	flɔˑz, flɔəz	floəz
flour	ˈflaʊə(r	ˈflaʊə
flourish	ˈflʌrɪʃ	ˈflərɪʃ
flourishes	ˈflʌrɪʃɪz	ˈflərɪʃɪz
flourished	ˈflʌrɪʃt	ˈflərɪʃt
flourishing	ˈflʌrɪʃɪŋ	ˈflərɪʃɪŋ
flow	floʊ	
flows	floʊz	
flowed	floʊd	
flowing	ˈfloʊɪŋ	
flower	ˈflaʊə(r	ˈflaʊə
flowers	ˈflaʊəz	flaʊəz
FLOWN *from* fly	floʊn	
fluctuate	ˈflʌktjʊeɪt	
fluctuates	ˈflʌktjʊeɪts	
fluctuated	ˈflʌktjʊeɪtɪd	
fluctuating	ˈflʌktjʊeɪtɪŋ	
fluency	ˈfluˑənsɪ	
fluent	ˈfluˑənt	
fluently	ˈfluˑəntlɪ	
fluid	ˈfluˑɪd	
fluids	ˈfluˑɪdz	
FLUNG *from* fling	flʌŋ	
flute	fluˑt	
flutes	fluˑts	
fly	flaɪ	
flies	flaɪz	
flew	fluˑ	
flown	floʊn	
flying	ˈflaɪɪŋ	
fog	fɒg	
fogs	fɒgz	
foggy	ˈfɒgɪ	
fold	foʊld	
folds	foʊldz	
folded	ˈfoʊldɪd	
folding	ˈfoʊldɪŋ	
folder	ˈfoʊldə(r	ˈfoʊldə
folders	ˈfoʊldəz	ˈfoʊldəz
folk	foʊk	
folks	foʊks	
follow	ˈfɒloʊ	ˈfɑloʊ
follows	ˈfɒloʊz	ˈfɑloʊz
followed	ˈfɒloʊd	ˈfɑloʊd
following	ˈfɒloʊɪŋ	ˈfɑloʊɪŋ

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follower	ˈfɒloʊə(r	ˈfɑloʊə
followers	ˈfɒloʊəz	ˈfɑloʊəz
folly	ˈfɒlɪ	ˈfɑlɪ
fond	fɒnd	fɑnd
fonder	ˈfɒndə(r	ˈfɑndə
fondest	ˈfɒndɪst	ˈfɑndɪst
fondly	ˈfɒndlɪ	ˈfɑndlɪ
fondness	ˈfɒndnɪs	ˈfɑndnɪs
food	fuːd	
foods	fuːdz	
fool	fuːl	
fools	fuːlz	
foolish	ˈfuːlɪʃ	
foolishly	ˈfuːlɪʃlɪ	
foot	fʊt	
feet	fiːt	
football	ˈfʊtbɔl	
for	fɔː(r *s.f.*, fə(r *w.f.*	fɔə *s.f.*, fə *w.f.*
force	fɔːs	foəs
forces	ˈfɔːsɪz	ˈfoəsɪz
forced	fɔːst	foəst
forcing	ˈfɔːsɪŋ	ˈfoəsɪŋ
ford	fɔːd	foəd
fords	fɔːdz	foədz
foreground	ˈfɔːgraʊnd	ˈfoəgraʊnd
	ˈfɔəgraʊnd	
forehead	ˈfɒrɪd, ˈfɒrəd	
foreheads	ˈfɒrɪdz, ˈfɒrədz	
foreign	ˈfɒrən, ˈfɒrɪn	
foreigner	ˈfɒrənə(r, ˈfɒrɪnə(r	ˈfɒrənə, ˈfɒrɪnə
foreigners	ˈfɒrənəz, ˈfɒrɪnəz	ˈfɒrənəz, ˈfɒrɪnəz
foresee	fɔˈsiː, fɔəˈsiː	foəˈsiː
foresees	fɔˈsiːz, fɔəˈsiːz	foəˈsiːz
foresaw	fɔˈsɔː, fɔəˈsɔː	foəˈsɔː
foreseen	fɔˈsiːn	foəˈsɪːn
foreseeing	fɔˈsiːɪŋ	foəˈsiːɪŋ
forest	ˈfɒrɪst	ˈfɑrɪst
forests	ˈfɒrɪsts	ˈfɑrɪsts
forfeit	ˈfɔːfɪt	ˈfoəfɪt
forfeits	ˈfɔːfɪts	ˈfɔəfɪts
forfeited	ˈfɔːfɪtɪd	ˈfɔəfɪtɪd
forfeiting	ˈfɔːfɪtɪŋ	ˈfɔəfɪtɪŋ
FORGAVE *from* forgive	fəˈgeɪv	fəˈgeɪv
forge	fɔːʤ	foəʤ
forges	ˈfɔːʤɪz	ˈfoəʤɪz
forged	fɔːʤd	foəʤd

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forging	ˈfɔːʤɪŋ	ˈfoəʤɪŋ
forgery	ˈfɔːʤərɪ	ˈfoəʤərɪ
forgeries	ˈfɔːʤərɪz	ˈfoəʤərɪz
forget	fəˈgɛt	fəˈgɛt
forgets	fəˈgɛts	fəˈgɛts
forgot	fəˈgɒt	fəˈgɑt
forgotten	fəˈgɒtn̩	fəˈgɑtn̩
forgetting	fəˈgɛtɪŋ	fəˈgɛtɪŋ
forgetful	fəˈgɛtful	fəˈgɛtful
forgetfulness	fəˈgɛtfulnɪs fəˈgɛtfəlnɪs	fəˈgɛtfulnɪs
forgive	fəˈgɪv	fəˈgɪv
forgives	fəˈgɪvz	fəˈgɪvz
forgave	fəˈgeɪv	fəˈgeɪv
forgiven	fəˈgɪvn̩	fəˈgɪvn̩
forgiving	fəˈgɪvɪŋ	fəˈgɪvɪŋ
forgiveness	fəˈgɪvnɪs	fəˈgɪvnɪs
FORGOT *from* forget	fəˈgɒt	fəˈgɑt
fork	fɔːk	foək
forks	fɔːks	foəks
form	fɔːm	foəm
forms	fɔːmz	foəmz
formed	fɔːmd	foəmd
forming	ˈfɔːmɪŋ	ˈfoəmɪŋ
formal	fɔːməl	foəməl
formally	ˈfɔːməlɪ	ˈfoəməlɪ
former	ˈfɔːmə(r	ˈfoəmə
formerly	ˈfɔːməlɪ, ˈfɔːməlɪ	ˈfoəməlɪ
formula	ˈfɔːmjulə	ˈfoəmjulə
formulæ	ˈfɔːmjuli	ˈfoəmjuli
formulas	ˈfɔːmjuləz	ˈfoəmjuləz
fort	fɔːt	foət
forts	fɔːts	foəts
forthcoming	fɔθˈkʌmɪŋ	foəθˈkʌmɪŋ
fortieth	ˈfɔːtɪɪθ	ˈfoətɪɪθ
fortification	fɔtɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	foətɪfɪˈkeɪʃən
fortifications	fɔtɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	foətɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz
fortify	ˈfɔːtɪfaɪ	ˈfoətɪfaɪ
fortifies	ˈfɔːtɪfaɪz	ˈfoətɪfaɪz
fortified	ˈfɔːtɪfaɪd	ˈfoətɪfaɪd
fortifying	ˈfɔːtɪfaɪɪŋ	ˈfoətɪfaɪɪŋ
fortnight	ˈfɔːtnaɪt	ˈfoətnaɪt
fortnightly	ˈfɔːtnaɪtlɪ	ˈfoətnaɪtlɪ
fortress	ˈfɔːtrɪs	ˈfoətrɪs
fortresses	ˈfɔːtrɪsɪz	ˈfoətrɪsɪz
fortunate	ˈfɔːtʃn̩ɪt	ˈfoətʃn̩ɪt
fortunately	ˈfɔːtʃn̩ɪtlɪ	ˈfoətʃn̩ɪtlɪ

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fortune	ˈfɔːtʃən	ˈfɔətʃən
fortunes	ˈfɔːtʃənz	ˈfɔətʃənz
forty	ˈfɔːtɪ	ˈfɔətɪ
forward	ˈfɔːwəd	ˈfɔəwəd
forwards	ˈfɔːwədz	ˈfɔəwədz
fossil	ˈfɒsɪl	ˈfɑsɪl
fossils	ˈfɒsɪlz	ˈfɑsɪlz
FOUGHT *from* fight	fɔːt	
foul	faʊl	
found	faʊnd	
founds	faʊndz	
founded	ˈfaʊndɪd	
founding	ˈfaʊndɪŋ	
FOUND *from* find	faʊnd	
founder	ˈfaʊndə(r	ˈfaʊndə
founders	ˈfaʊndəz	ˈfaʊndəz
foundation	faʊnˈdeɪʃən	
foundations	faʊnˈdeɪʃənz	
fountain	ˈfaʊntɪn, ˈfaʊntən	ˈfaʊntn̩
fountains	ˈfaʊntɪnz, ˈfaʊntənz	ˈfaʊntn̩z
four	fɔː(r, fɔə(r	foə
fourteen	ˈfɔːˈtiːn	ˈfoəˈtiːn
fourteenth	ˈfɔːˈtiːnθ	ˈfoəˈtiːnθ
fourteenths	ˈfɔːˈtiːnθs	ˈfoəˈtiːnθs
fourth	fɔːθ, fɔəθ	foəθ
fourths	fɔːθs, fɔəθs	foəθs
fourthly	ˈfɔːθlɪ, ˈfɔəθlɪ	ˈfoəθlɪ
fowl	faʊl	
fowls	faʊlz	
fox	fɒks	fɑks
foxes	ˈfɒksɪz	ˈfɑksɪz
fraction	ˈfrækʃən	
fractions	ˈfrækʃənz	
fragile	ˈfrædʒaɪl	ˈfrædʒɪl
fragment	ˈfrægmənt	
fragments	ˈfrægmənts	
fragrance	ˈfreɪgrəns	
fragrant	ˈfreɪgrənt	
frame	freɪm	
frames	freɪmz	
framed	freɪmd	
framing	ˈfreɪmɪŋ	
France	frɑːns	fraːns
frank	fræŋk	
frankly	ˈfræŋklɪ	
frankness	ˈfræŋknɪs	ˈfræŋknɪs
fraud	frɔːd	

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frauds	frɔˈdz	
free	friˑ	
freer	ˈfriˑə(r	ˈfriˑə
freest	ˈfriˑɪst	
freely	ˈfriˑlɪ	
freedom	ˈfriˑdəm	
freeze	friˑz	
freezes	ˈfriˑzɪz	
froze	frouz	
frozen	ˈfrouzn̩	
freezing	ˈfriˑzɪŋ	
freight	freɪt	
freights	freɪts	
French	frɛntʃ	
Frenchman	ˈfrɛntʃmən	
Frenchmen	ˈfrɛntʃmən	
frequency	ˈfriˑkwənsɪ	
frequent, *adj.*	ˈfriˑkwənt	
frequently	ˈfriˑkwəntlɪ	
fresh	frɛʃ	
fresher	ˈfrɛʃə(r	ˈfrɛʃə
freshest	ˈfrɛʃɪst	
freshly	ˈfrɛʃlɪ	
freshness	ˈfrɛʃnɪs	
friction	ˈfrɪkʃən	
Friday	ˈfraɪdɪ	
Fridays	ˈfraɪdɪz	
FRIED *from* fry	fraɪd	
friend	frɛnd	
friends	frɛndz	
friendly	ˈfrɛndlɪ	
fright	fraɪt	
frights	fraɪts	
frighten	ˈfraɪtn̩	
frightens	ˈfraɪtn̩z	
frightened	ˈfraɪtn̩d	
frightening	ˈfraɪtn̩ɪŋ	
frightful	ˈfraɪtful	
frightfully	ˈfraɪtfulɪ, ˈfraɪtfəlɪ	
frock	frɒk	frak
frocks	frɒks	fraks
frockcoat	ˈfrɒkˈkout	ˈfrakˈkout
frockcoats	ˈfrɒkˈkouts	ˈfrakˈkouts
frog	frɒg	
frogs	frɒgz	
from	frɒm *s.f.*, frəm *w.f.*	fram *s.f.*, frəm *w.f.*
front	frʌnt	

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fronts	frʌnts	
frontier	ˈfrʌntjə(r, ˈfrʌntɪə(r	ˈfrʌntɪə, frʌnˈtɪə
frontiers	ˈfrʌntjəz, ˈfrʌntɪəz	ˈfrʌntɪəz, frʌnˈtɪəz
frost	frɔst, frɒst	
frown	fraʊn	
frowns	fraʊnz	
frowned	fraʊnd	
frowning	ˈfraʊnɪŋ	
FROZE *from* freeze	froʊz	
FROZEN *from* freeze	froʊzn̩	
fruit	fruˈt	
fruits	fruˈts	
fry	fraɪ	
fries	fraɪz	
fried	fraɪd	
frying	ˈfraɪɪŋ	
fuel	ˈfjuˈəl	
fugitive	ˈfjuˈʤɪtɪv, ˈfjuˈʤətɪv	
fugitives	ˈfjuˈʤɪtɪvz ˈfjuˈʤətɪvz	
fulfil	fʊlˈfɪl	
fulfils	fʊlˈfɪlz	
fulfilled	fʊlˈfɪld	
fulfilling	fʊlˈfɪlɪŋ	
full	fʊl	
fuller	ˈfʊlə(r	ˈfʊlə
fullest	ˈfʊlɪst	
fullness	ˈfʊlnɪs	
fully	ˈfʊlɪ	
fun	fʌn	
function	ˈfʌŋkʃən	
functions	ˈfʌŋkʃənz	
functioned	ˈfʌŋkʃənd	
functioning	ˈfʌŋkʃn̩ɪŋ	
fund	fʌnd	
funds	fʌndz	
fundamental	fʌndəˈmɛntl̩	
fundamentals	fʌndəˈmɛntl̩z	
fundamentally	fʌndəˈmɛntəlɪ	
funeral	ˈfjuˈnərəl	
funerals	ˈfjuˈnərəlz	
funnel	ˈfʌnl̩	
funnels	ˈfʌnl̩z	
funnily	ˈfʌnɪlɪ	
funny	ˈfʌnɪ	
funnier	ˈfʌnɪə(r	ˈfʌnɪə
funniest	ˈfʌnɪɪst	

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fur	fɜ·(r	fɜə
furs	fɜ·z	fɜəz
furious	ˈfjʊərɪəs	ˈfjʊ·rɪəs
furiously	ˈfjʊərɪəslɪ	ˈfjʊˈrɪəslɪ
furnace	ˈfɜ·nɪs	ˈfɜənɪs
furnaces	ˈfɜ·nɪsɪz	ˈfɜənɪsɪz
furnish	ˈfɜ·nɪʃ	ˈfɜenɪʃ
furnishes	ˈfɜ·nɪʃɪz	ˈfɜənɪʃɪz
furnished	ˈfɜ·nɪʃt	ˈfɜənɪʃt
furnishing	ˈfɜ·nɪʃɪŋ	ˈfɜənɪʃɪŋ
furniture	ˈfɜ·nɪtʃə(r	ˈfɜənɪtʃə
furry	ˈfɜ·rɪ	
further	ˈfɜ·ðə(r	ˈfɜəðə
furthers	ˈfɜ·ðəz	ˈfɜəðəz
furthered	ˈfɜ·ðəd	ˈfɜəðəd
furthering	ˈfɜ·ðərɪŋ	ˈfɜəðərɪŋ
furthermore	ˈfɜ·ðəˈmɔ(r	ˈfɜəðəˈmoə
	ˈfɜ·ðəˈmɔə(r	
furthest	ˈfɜ·ðɪst	ˈfɜəðɪst
fury	ˈfjʊərɪ	ˈfjʊ·rɪ
furies	ˈfjʊərɪz	ˈfjʊ·rɪz
fuse	fjʊ·z	
fuses	ˈfjʊ·zɪz	
fused	fjʊ·zd	
fusing	ˈfjʊ·zɪŋ	
fuss	fʌs	
fussy	ˈfʌsɪ	
futile	ˈfjʊ·taɪl	ˈfjʊ·tɪl
futility	fjʊˈtɪlɪtɪ	
future	ˈfjʊ·tʃə(r	ˈfjʊ·tʃə

G

G	ʤi·	
G's	ʤi·z	
gaiety	ˈgeɪətɪ, ˈgeɪɪtɪ	
gaily	ˈgeɪlɪ	
gain	geɪn	
gains	geɪnz	
gained	geɪnd	
gaining	ˈgeɪnɪŋ	
gaiter	ˈgeɪtə(r	ˈgeɪtə
gaiters	ˈgeɪtəz	ˈgeɪtəz
gale	geɪl	
gales	geɪlz	

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gallant, *brave*	ˈgælənt	
amourous	gəˈlænt	
gallantly, *bravely*	ˈgæləntlɪ	
amorously	gəˈlæntlɪ	
gallantry	ˈgæləntrɪ	
gallery	ˈgæləɹɪ	
galleries	ˈgæləɹɪz	
gallop	ˈgæləp	
gallops	ˈgæləps	
galloped	ˈgæləpt	
galloping	ˈgæləpɪŋ	
gamble	ˈgæmbl̩	
gambles	ˈgæmbl̩z	
gambled	ˈgæmbl̩d	
gambling	ˈgæmblɪŋ	
gambler	ˈgæmblə(r	ˈgæmblə
gamblers	ˈgæmbl̩əz	ˈgæmbl̩əz
game	geɪm	
games	geɪmz	
gang	gæŋ	
gangs	gæŋz	
gangway	gæŋweɪ	
gangways	gæŋweɪz	
gaol	ʤeɪl	
gaols	ʤeɪlz	
gap	gæp	
gaps	gæps	
garage	ˈgæɹɑʒ, gəˈɹɑˑʒ	
garages	ˈgæɹɑʒɪz, gəˈɹɑˑʒɪz	
garden	ˈgɑˑdn̩	ˈgɑədn̩
gardens	ˈgɑˑdn̩z	ˈgɑədn̩z
gardening	ˈgɑˑdn̩ɪŋ	
gardener	ˈgɑˑdn̩ə(r	ˈgɑədn̩ə
gardeners	ˈgɑˑdn̩əz	ˈgɑədn̩əz
garrison	ˈgæɹɪsən	
garrisons	ˈgæɹɪsənz	
garter	ˈgɑˑtə(r	ˈgɑətə
garters	ˈgɑˑtəz	ˈgɑətəz
gas	gæs	
gases	ˈgæsɪz	
gaseous	ˈgeɪzɪəs, ˈgæzɪəs, ˈgæzjəs, ˈgæsɪəs, ˈgeɪsjəs, ˈgæsjəs	
gasoline	gæsəˈliˑn, ˈgæsəlin	
gasp	gɑˑsp	gaˑsp
gasps	gɑˑsps	gaˑsps
gasped	gɑˑspt	gaˑspt

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gasping	ˈgɑˑspɪŋ	ˈgaˑspɪŋ
gate	geɪt	
gates	geɪts	
gateway	ˈgeɪtweɪ	
gateways	ˈgeɪtweɪz	
gather	ˈgæðə(r	ˈgæðə
gathers	ˈgæðəz	ˈgæðəz
gathered	ˈgæðəd	ˈgæðəd
gathering	ˈgæðərɪŋ	
gatherings	ˈgæðərɪn̩z	
gaudy	ˈgɔˑdɪ	
gauge	geɪʤ	
gauges	ˈgeɪʤɪz	
gauze	gɔˑz	
GAVE *from* give	geɪv	
gay	geɪ	
gayer	ˈgeɪə(r	ˈgeɪə
gayest	ˈgeɪɪst	
gayety (*Amer.*)	ˈgeɪətɪ, ˈgeɪɪtɪ	
gaze	geɪz	
gazes	ˈgeɪzɪz	
gazed	geɪzd	
gazing	ˈgeɪzɪŋ	
GEESE, *plur. of* goose	giˑs	
gender	ˈʤendə(r	ˈʤendə
genders	ˈʤendəz	ˈʤendəz
general	ʤenərəl	
generals	ˈʤenərəlz	
generally	ˈʤenərəlɪ	
generation	ʤenəˈreɪʃən	
generations	ʤenəˈreɪʃənz	
generosity	ʤenəˈrɒsɪtɪ	ʤenəˈrɑsɪtɪ
generous	ˈʤenərəs	
generously	ˈʤenərəslɪ	
genial	ˈʤiˑnjəl	
genially	ˈʤiˑnjəlɪ	
genius	ˈʤiˑnjəs	
geniuses	ˈʤiˑnjəsɪz	
gentle	ˈʤentl̩	
gentler	ˈʤentlə(r	ˈʤentlə
gentlest	ˈʤentlɪst	
gently	ˈʤentlɪ	
gentleman	ˈʤentl̩mən	
gentlemen	ˈʤentl̩mən	
genuine	ˈʤenjʊɪn	
genuinely	ˈʤenjʊɪnlɪ	
genuineness	ˈʤenjʊɪnnɪs	

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geographical	ʤiou'græfɪkəl	
	ʤiə'græfɪkəl	
geographically	ʤiou'græfɪkəlɪ	
	ʤiə'græfɪkəlɪ	
geography	ʤi'ɒgrəfɪ	ʤi'ɑgrəfɪ
geological	ʤiou'lɒʤɪkəl	ʤiou'lɑʤɪkəl
	ʤiə'lɒʤɪkəl	ʤiə'lɑʤɪkəl
geologist	ʤi'ɒləʤɪst	ʤi'ɑləʤɪst
geologists	ʤi'ɒləʤɪsts	ʤi'ɑləʤɪsts
geology	ʤi'ɒləʤɪ	ʤi'ɑləʤɪ
geometrical	ʤiou'mɛtrɪkəl	
	ʤiə'mɛtrɪkəl	
geometrically	ʤiou'mɛtrɪkəlɪ	
	ʤiə'mɛtrɪkəlɪ	
geometry	ʤi'ɑmɪtrɪ	ʤi'ɑmɪtrɪ
germ	ʤə'm	ʤəəm
germs	ʤə'mz	ʤəəmz
German	'ʤə'mən	'ʤəəmən
Germans	'ʤə'mənz	'ʤəəmənz
Germany	'ʤə'mənɪ	'ʤəəmənɪ
gesture	'ʤɛstʃə(r	'ʤɛstʃə
gestures	'ʤɛstʃəz	'ʤɛstʃəz
get	gɛt	
gets	gɛts	
got	gɒt	gɑt
gotten	'gɒtn̩	'gɑtn̩
getting	'gɛtɪŋ	
ghastly	'gɑ'stlɪ	'ga'stlɪ
ghost	goust	
ghosts	gousts	
giant	'ʤaɪənt	
giants	'ʤaɪənts	
giddy	'gɪdɪ	
giddiness	'gɪdɪnɪs	
gift	gɪft	
gifts	gɪfts	
gifted	'gɪftɪd	
gin	ʤɪn	
ginger	'ʤɪnʤə(r	'ʤɪnʤə
gipsy	'ʤɪpsɪ	
gipsies	'ʤɪpsɪz	
giraffe	ʤɪ'rɑ'f	ʤɪ'ra'f
giraffes	ʤɪ'rɑ'fs	ʤɪ'ra'fs
girder	'gə'də(r	'gəədə
girders	'gə'dəz	'gəədəz
girl	gə'l	gəəl
girls	gə'lz	gəəlz

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gist	ʤɪst	
give	gɪv	
gives	gɪvz	
gave	geɪv	
given	ˈgɪvn̩	
giving	ˈgɪvɪŋ	
glad	glæˈd	
gladder	ˈglædə(r, ˈglæˈdə(r	ˈglædə
gladdest	ˈglædɪst, ˈglæˈdɪst	
gladly	ˈglæˈdlɪ	
gladness	ˈglæˈdnɪs	
glance	glɑˈns	glaˈns
glances	ˈglɑˈnsɪz	ˈglaˈnsɪz
glanced	ˈglɑˈnst	ˈglaˈnst
glancing	ˈglɑˈnsɪŋ	ˈglaˈnsɪŋ
glass	glɑˈs	glaˈs
glasses	ˈglɑˈsɪz	ˈglaˈsɪz
glassful	ˈglɑˈsful	ˈglaˈsful
glassfuls	ˈglɑˈsfulz	ˈglaˈsfulz
glassy	ˈglɑˈsɪ	ˈglaˈsɪ
gleam	gliˈm	
gleams	gliˈmz	
gleamed	gliˈmd	
gleaming	ˈgliˈmɪŋ	
glide	glaɪd	
glides	glaɪdz	
glided	ˈglaɪdɪd	
gliding	ˈglaɪdɪŋ	
glimpse	ˈglɪmps	
glimpses	ˈglɪmpsɪz	
glitter	ˈglɪtə(r	ˈglɪtə
glitters	ˈglɪtəz	ˈglɪtəz
glittered	ˈglɪtəd	ˈglɪtəd
glittering	ˈglɪtərɪŋ	
globe	gloʊb	
globes	gloʊbz	
gloom	gluˈm	
gloomy	ˈgluˈmɪ	
glorify	ˈglɔˈrɪfaɪ	ˈgloˈrɪfaɪ
glorifies	ˈglɔˈrɪfaɪz	ˈgloˈrɪfaɪz
glorified	ˈglɔˈrɪfaɪd	ˈgloˈrɪfaɪd
glorifying	ˈglɔˈrɪfaɪŋ	ˈgloˈrɪfaɪŋ
glorious	ˈglɔˈrɪəs	ˈgloˈrɪəs
gloriously	ˈglɔˈrɪəslɪ	ˈgloˈrɪəslɪ
glory	ˈglɔˈrɪ	ˈgloˈrɪ
glories	ˈglɔˈrɪz	ˈgloˈrɪz
glove	glʌv	

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gloves	glʌvz	
glue	glu·	
glues	glu·z	
glued	glu·d	
gluing	ˈglu·ɪŋ	
glycerine	ˈglɪsəˈri·n, ˈglɪsərɪn	
gnaw	nɔ·	
gnaws	nɔ·z	
gnawed	nɔ·d	
gnawing	ˈnɔ·ɪŋ	
go	gou	
goes	gouz	
went	wɛnt	
gone	gɒn, gɔn	
going	ˈgouɪŋ	
goal	goul	
goals	goulz	
goat	gout	
goats	gouts	
god	gɒd	gɑd
gods	gɒdz	gɑdz
godchild	ˈgɒdtʃaɪld	ˈgɑdtʃaɪld
godchildren	ˈgɒdtʃɪldrən	ˈgɑdtʃɪldrən
goddess	ˈgɒdɪs	ˈgɑdɪs
goddesses	ˈgɒdɪsɪz	ˈgɑdɪsɪz
godfather	ˈgɒdfɑðə(r	ˈgɑdfɑðə
godfathers	ˈgɒdfɑðəz	ˈgɑdfɑðəz
godmother	ˈgɒdmʌðə(r	ˈgɑdmʌðə
godmothers	ˈgɒdmʌðəz	ˈgɑdmʌðəz
gold	gould	
golden	ˈgouldn̩	
goldfish	ˈgouldfɪʃ	
goldfishes	ˈgouldfɪʃɪz	
golf	gɒlf, gɒf	
golfer	ˈgɒlfə(r	ˈgɒlfə
golfers	ˈgɒlfəz	ˈgɒlfəz
GONE *from* go	gɒn, gɔn	
gong	gɒŋ	
gongs	gɒŋz	
good	gʊd	
good-bye	ˈgʊdˈbaɪ	
good-evening, *on meeting*	gʊdˈi·vnɪŋ	
on parting	ˈgʊdˈi·vnɪŋ	
good-humor (*Amer.*)		
good-humour	ˈgʊdˈ*h*ju·mə(r	ˈgʊdˈhju·mə
	gʊdˈ*h*ju·mə(r	gʊdˈhju·mə

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good-humored (*Am.*)		
good-humoured	ˈgʊdˈhjuːməd	ˈgʊdˈhjuːməd
	gʊdˈhjuːməd	gʊdˈhjuːməd
goodish	ˈgʊdɪʃ	
good-morning, *on meeting*	gʊdˈmɔːnɪŋ	gʊdˈmɔənɪŋ
on parting	ˈgʊdˈmɔːnɪŋ	ˈgʊdˈmɔənɪŋ
good-nature	ˈgʊdˈneɪtʃə(r	ˈgʊdˈneɪtʃə
good-natured	ˈgʊdˈneɪtʃəd	ˈgʊdˈneɪtʃəd
goodness	ˈgʊdnɪs	
good-night	ˈgʊdˈnaɪt	
goods	gʊdz	
goodwill	ˈgʊdˈwɪl	
goose	guːs	
geese	giːs	
gorge	gɔːʤ	gɔəʤ
gorges	ˈgɔːʤɪz	ˈgɔəʤɪz
gorilla	gəˈrɪlə	
gorillas	gəˈrɪləz	
gospel	ˈgɒspəl	ˈgɑspḷ
gospels	ˈgɒspəlz	ˈgɑspḷz
gossip	ˈgɒsɪp	ˈgɑsɪp
gossips	ˈgɒsɪps	ˈgɑsɪps
gossiped	ˈgɒsɪpt	ˈgɑsɪpt
gossiping	ˈgɒsɪpɪŋ	ˈgɑsɪpɪŋ
GOT *from* get	gɒt	ˈgɑt
GOTTEN *from* get	ˈgɒtn̩	ˈgɑtn̩
gouge	gaʊʤ	
gouges	ˈgaʊʤɪz	
gouged	gaʊʤd	
gouging	ˈgaʊʤɪŋ	
govern	ˈgʌvən, ˈgʌvən	ˈgʌvən
governs	ˈgʌvənz	ˈgʌvənz
governed	ˈgʌvənd	ˈgʌvənd
governing	ˈgʌvənɪŋ	ˈgʌvənɪŋ
governess	ˈgʌvənɪs	ˈgʌvənɪs
governesses	ˈgʌvənɪsɪz	ˈgʌvənɪsɪz
government	ˈgʌvənmənt	ˈgʌvənmənt
governments	ˈgʌvənmənts	ˈgʌvənmənts
governor	ˈgʌvənə(r	ˈgʌvənə
governors	ˈgʌvənəz	ˈgʌvənəz
grab	græb	
grabs	græbz	
grabbed	ˈgræbd	
grabbing	ˈgræbɪŋ	
grace	greɪs	
graceful	ˈgreɪsful	

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gracefully	ˈgreɪsfʊlɪ, ˈgreɪsfəlɪ	
gracious	ˈgreɪʃəs	
graciously	ˈgreɪʃəslɪ	
grade	greɪd	
grades	greɪdz	
graded	ˈgreɪdɪd	
grading	ˈgreɪdɪŋ	
gradual	ˈgrædjʊəl	
gradually	ˈgrædjʊəlɪ	
graduate, *noun*	ˈgrædjʊɪt	
graduates	ˈgrædjʊɪts	
graduate, *verb*	ˈgrædjʊeɪt	ˈgrædjʊɪt
graduates	ˈgrædjʊeɪts	ˈgrædjʊɪts
graduated	ˈgrædjʊeɪtɪd	ˈgrædjʊɪtɪd
graduating	ˈgrædjʊeɪtɪŋ	ˈgrædjʊɪtɪŋ
graduation	ˈgrædjʊˈeɪʃən	
graft	grɑˈft	graˈft
grafts	grɑˈfts	graˈfts
grafted	ˈgrɑˈftɪd	ˈgraˈftɪd
grafting	ˈgrɑˈftɪŋ	ˈgraˈftɪŋ
grain	greɪn	
grains	greɪnz	
gram	græm	
grams	græmz	
grammar	ˈgræmə(r	ˈgræmə
grammars	ˈgræməz	ˈgræməz
grammarian	grəˈmɛərɪən	grəˈmɛˈrɪən
grammarians	grəˈmɛərɪənz	grəˈmɛˈrɪənz
grammatical	grəˈmætɪkəl	
grammatically	grəˈmætɪkəlɪ	
gramophone	ˈgræməfoʊn	
gramophones	ˈgræməfoʊnz	
grand	grænd	
grander	ˈgrændə(r	ˈgrændə
grandest	ˈgrændɪst	
grandly	ˈgrændlɪ	
grandchild	ˈgrænd*t*ʃaɪld	
grandchildren	ˈgrænd*t*ʃɪldrən	
granddaughter	ˈgrænd*d*dɔtə(r	ˈgrænd*d*dɔtə
granddaughters	ˈgrænd*d*dɔtəz	ˈgrænd*d*dɔtəz
grandeur	ˈgrænʤə(r	ˈgrænʤə
	ˈgrændjə(r	
grandfather	ˈgrænd*f*ɑðə(r	ˈgrænd*f*ɑðə
grandfathers	ˈgrænd*f*ɑðəz	ˈgrænd*f*ɑðəz
grandmother	ˈgrænd*m*ʌðə(r	ˈgrænd*m*ʌðə
grandmothers	ˈgrænd*m*ʌðəz	ˈgrænd*m*ʌðəz
grandparent	ˈgrænd*p*ɛərənt	ˈgrænd*p*ɛˈrənt

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grandparents	ˈgrænd*d*pɛərənts	ˈgrænd*d*pɛˑrənts
grandson	ˈgrænd*d*sʌn	
grandsons	ˈgrænd*d*sʌnz	
granite	ˈgrænɪt	
grant	grɑˑnt	graˑnt
grants	grɑˑnts	graˑnts
granted	ˈgrɑˑntɪd	ˈgraˑntɪd
granting	ˈgrɑˑntɪŋ	ˈgraˑntɪŋ
grape	greɪp	
grapes	greɪps	
graph	græf, grɑˑf	graˑf
graphs	græfs, grɑˑfs	graˑfs
graphic	ˈgræfɪk	
grasp	grɑˑsp	graˑsp
grasps	grɑˑsps	graˑsps
grasped	grɑˑspt	graˑspt
grasping	ˈgrɑˑspɪŋ	ˈgraˑspɪŋ
grass	grɑˑs	graˑs
grasses	ˈgrɑˑsɪz	ˈgraˑsɪz
grassy	ˈgrɑˑsɪ	ˈgraˑsɪ
grateful	ˈgreɪtful	
gratefully	ˈgreɪtfulɪ, ˈgreɪtfəlɪ	
gratification	grætɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
gratify	ˈgrætɪfaɪ	
gratifies	ˈgrætɪfaɪz	
gratified	ˈgrætɪfaɪd	
gratifying	ˈgrætɪfaɪɪŋ	
gratis	ˈgreɪtɪs	
gratitude	ˈgrætɪtjud	
grave	greɪv	
graves	greɪvz	
graver	ˈgreɪvə(r	ˈgreɪvə
gravest	ˈgreɪvɪst	
gravely	ˈgreɪvlɪ	
gravel	ˈgrævəl	
gravitate	ˈgrævɪteɪt	
gravitates	ˈgrævɪteɪts	
gravitated	ˈgrævɪteɪtɪd	
gravitating	ˈgrævɪteɪtɪŋ	
gravitation	grævɪˈteɪʃən	
gravity	ˈgrævɪtɪ	
gravy	ˈgreɪvɪ	
gray	greɪ	
grayer	ˈgreɪə(r	ˈgreɪə
grayest	ˈgreɪɪst	
gray-haired	ˈgreɪˈhɛəd	ˈgreɪˈhɛəd
gray-headed	ˈgreɪˈhɛdɪd	

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grease, *noun*	gri·s	
greases	ˈgri·sɪz	
grease, *verb*	gri·z	
greases	ˈgri·zɪz	
greased	gri·zd	
greasing	ˈgri·zɪŋ	
greasy	ˈgri·zɪ, ˈgri·sɪ	
great	greɪt	
greater	ˈgreɪtə(r	ˈgreɪtə
greatest	ˈgreɪtɪst	
greatly	ˈgreɪtlɪ	
greatness	ˈgreɪtnɪs	
Greece	gri·s	
greedy	gri·dɪ	
greedier	ˈgri·dɪə(r	ˈgri·dɪə
greadiest	ˈgri·dɪst	
greedily	ˈgri·dɪlɪ	
greediness	ˈgri·dɪnɪs	
Greek	gri·k	
Greeks	gri·ks	
green	gri·n	
greener	ˈgri·nə(r	ˈgri·nə
greenest	ˈgri·nɪst	
greenness	ˈgri·nnɪs	
greengrocer	ˈgri·ngrousə(r	ˈgri·ngrousə
greengrocers	ˈgri·ngrousəz	ˈgri·ngrousəz
greenish	ˈgri·nɪʃ	
greet	gri·t	
greets	gri·ts	
greeted	ˈgri·tɪd	
greeting	ˈgri·tɪŋ	
greetings	ˈgri·tɪŋz	
GREW *from* grow	gru·	
grey	greɪ	
greyer	ˈgreɪə(r	ˈgreɪə
greyest	ˈgreɪɪst	
greyness	ˈgreɪnɪs	
grey-haired	ˈgreɪˈhɛəd	ˈgreɪˈhɛəd
grey-headed	ˈgreɪˈhɛdɪd	
greyish	ˈgreɪɪʃ	
grief	gri·f	
grievance	ˈgri·vəns	
grievances	ˈgri·vənsɪz	
grieve	gri·v	
grieves	gri·vz	
grieved	gri·vd	
grieving	ˈgri·vɪŋ	

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grimace	grɪ'meɪs	
grimaces	grɪ'meɪsiz	
grimy	'graɪmɪ	
grin	grɪn	
grins	grɪnz	
grinned	grɪnd	
grinning	'grɪnɪŋ	
grind	graɪnd	
grinds	graɪndz	
ground	graʊnd	
grinding	'graɪndɪŋ	
grip	grɪp	
grips	grɪps	
gripped	grɪpt	
gripping	'grɪpɪŋ	
grit	grɪt	
gritty	'grɪtɪ	
groan	groʊn	
groans	groʊnz	
groaned	groʊnd	
groaning	'groʊnɪŋ	
grocer	'groʊsə(r	'groʊsə
grocers	'groʊsəz	'groʊsəz
grocery	'groʊsərɪ	
groceries	'groʊsərɪz	
groom	grʊm, gru·m	
grooms	grʊmz, gru·mz	
groove	gru·v	
grooves	gru·vz	
grooved	gru·vd	
grope	groʊp	
gropes	groʊps	
groped	groʊpt	
groping	'groʊpɪŋ	
gross	groʊs	
grossly	'groʊslɪ	
ground	graʊnd	
grounds	graʊndz	
grounded	'graʊndɪd	
grounding	'graʊndɪŋ	
GROUND *from* grind	graʊnd	
ground-floor	'graʊnd'flɔ·(r	'graʊn*d*'floə
	'graʊnd'flɔə(r	
groundless	'graʊndlɪs	
groundlessly	'graʊndlɪslɪ	
groundwork	'graʊndwək	'graʊndwəək
group	gru·p	

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groups	gru'ps	
grouped	gru'pt	
grouping	'gru'pɪŋ	
grove	grouv	
groves	grouvz	
grow	grou	
grows	grouz	
grew	gru'	
grown	groun	
growing	'grouɪŋ	
grower	'grouə(r	'grouə
growers	'grouəz	'grouəz
growl	graʊl	
growls	graʊlz	
growled	graʊld	
growling	'graʊlɪŋ	
growth	grouθ	
growths	grouθs	
grudge	grʌʤ	
grudges	'grʌʤɪz	
gruff	grʌf	
gruffly	'grʌflɪ	
gruffness	'grʌfnɪs	
grumble	'grʌmbl̩	
grumbles	'grʌmbl̩z	
grumbled	'grʌmbl̩d	
grumbling	'grʌmblɪŋ	
grumbler	'grʌmblə(r	'grʌmblə
grumblers	'grʌmbləz	'grʌmbləz
grunt	grʌnt	
grunts	grʌnts	
grunted	'grʌntɪd	
grunting	'grʌntɪŋ	
guarantee	gærən'ti·	
guarantees	gærən'ti·z	
guaranteed	gærən'ti·d	
guaranteeing	gærən'ti·ɪŋ	
guard	gɑ·d	gɑəd
guards	gɑ·dz	gɑədz
guarded	'gɑ·dɪd	'gɑədɪd
guarding	'gɑ·dɪŋ	'gɑədɪŋ
guardian	'gɑ·djən, 'gɑ·dɪən	'gɑədjən, 'gɑədɪən
guess	gɛs	
guesses	'gɛsɪz	
guessed	gɛst	
guessing	'gɛsɪŋ	
guesser	'gɛsə(r	'gɛsə

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guessers	ˈgɛsəz	ˈgɛsəz
guesswork	ˈgɛswɜk	ˈgɛswɜək
guest	gɛst	
guests	gɛsts	
guidance	ˈgaɪdn̩s	
guide	gaɪd	
guides	gaɪdz	
guided	ˈgaɪdɪd	
guiding	ˈgaɪdɪŋ	
guilt	gɪlt	
guilty	ˈgɪltɪ	
guiltier	ˈgɪltɪə(r	ˈgɪltɪə
guiltiest	ˈgɪltɪst	
guiltily	ˈgɪltɪlɪ	
gulf	gʌlf	
gulfs	gʌlfs	
gum	gʌm	
gums	gʌmz	
gummed	gʌmd	
gumming	ˈgʌmɪŋ	
gun	gʌn	
guns	gʌnz	
gunner	ˈgʌnə(r	ˈgʌnə
gunners	ˈgʌnəz	ˈgʌnəz
gunpowder	ˈgʌnpaʊdə(r	ˈgʌnpaʊdə
gust	gʌst	
gusts	gʌsts	
gutter	ˈgʌtə(r	ˈgʌtə
gutters	ˈgʌtəz	ˈgʌtəz
gymnasium	ʤɪmˈneɪzjəm ʤɪmˈneɪzɪəm	
gymnasiums	ʤɪmˈneɪzjəmz ʤɪmˈneɪzɪəmz	
gymnast	ˈʤɪmnæst	
gymnasts	ˈʤɪmnæsts	
gymnastic, *adj.*	ʤɪmˈnæstɪk	
gymnastics, *noun*	ʤɪmˈnæstɪks	
gyroscope	ˈgaɪərəskoʊp ˈʤaɪərəskoʊp	
gyroscopes	ˈgaɪərəskoʊps ˈʤaɪərəskoʊps	

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H	eɪtʃ	
H's	ˈeɪtʃɪz	
ha	hɑˑ	
habit	ˈhæbɪt	
habits	ˈhæbɪts	
habitual	həˈbɪtjʊəl, hæˈbɪtjʊəl	
habitually	həˈbɪtjʊəlɪ, hæˈbɪtjʊəlɪ	
HAD *from* have	hæd *s.f.*, *h*əd, d *w.fs.*	
HADN'T	ˈhædn̩t	
hail	heɪl	
hair	hɛə(r	hɛə
hairs	hɛəz	hɛəz
hairbrush	ˈhɛəbrʌʃ	ˈhɛəbrʌʃ
hairbrushes	ˈhɛəbrʌʃɪz	ˈhɛəbrʌʃɪz
hairy	ˈhɛərɪ	ˈhɛˑrɪ
half	hɑˑf	hɑˑf
halves	hɑˈvz	hɑˑvz
half-a-crown	ˈhɑˑfəˈkraʊn	ˈhɑˑfəˈkraʊn
half-a-dozen	ˈhɑˑfəˈdʌzn̩	ˈhɑˑfəˈdʌzn̩
half-an-hour	ˈhɑˑfəˈnaʊə(r	ˈhɑˑfəˈnaʊə
half-crown	ˈhɑˑfˈkraʊn	ˈhɑˑfˈkraʊn
half-crowns	ˈhɑˑfˈkraʊnz	ˈhɑˑfˈkraʊnz
half-dozen	ˈhɑˑfˈdʌzn̩	ˈhɑˑfˈdʌzn̩
half-dozens	ˈhɑˑfˈdʌzn̩z	ˈhɑˑfˈdʌzn̩z
half-hearted	ˈhɑˑfˈhɑˑtɪd	ˈhɑˑfˈhɑətɪd
half-heartedly	ˈhɑˑfˈhɑˑtɪdlɪ	ˈhɑˑfˈhɑətɪdlɪ
half-hour	ˈhɑˑfˈaʊə(r	ˈhɑˑfˈaʊə
half-hours	ˈhɑˑfˈaʊəz	ˈhɑˑfˈaʊəz
half-length	ˈhɑˑfˈlɛŋk̚θ	ˈhɑˑfˈlɛŋk̚θ
half-measure	ˈhɑˑfˈmɛʒə(r	ˈhɑˑfˈmɛʒə
half-measures	ˈhɑˑfˈmɛʒəz	ˈhɑˑfˈmɛʒəz
half-pay	ˈhɑˑfˈpeɪ	ˈhɑˑfˈpeɪ
half-penny	ˈheɪpənɪ	
half-pennies	ˈheɪpənɪz	
half-pence	ˈheɪpəns	
half-price	ˈhɑˑfˈpraɪs	ˈhɑˑfˈpraɪs
half-time	ˈhɑˑfˈtaɪm	ˈhɑˑfˈtaɪm
half-way	ˈhɑˑfˈweɪ	ˈhɑˑfˈweɪ
half-yearly	ˈhɑˑfˈjəˑlɪ	ˈhɑˑfˈjɪəlɪ
hall	hɔˑl	
halls	hɔˑlz	
hallo(a)	həˈloʊ,ˈhʌˈloʊ,ˈhæˈloʊ	
halt	hɔlt, hɒlt	

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halts	hɔlts, hɒlts	
halted	ˈhɔltɪd, ˈhɒltɪd	
halting	ˈhɔltɪŋ, ˈhɒltɪŋ	
haltingly	ˈhɔltɪŋlɪ, ˈhɒltɪŋlɪ	
halve	hɑˈv	haˈv
halves	hɑˈvz	haˈvz
halved	hɑˈvd	haˈvd
halving	ˈhɑˈvɪŋ	ˈhaˈvɪŋ
ham	hæm	
hams	hæmz	
hammer	ˈhæmə(r	ˈhæmə
hammers	ˈhæməz	ˈhæməz
hammered	ˈhæməd	ˈhæməd
hammering	ˈhæmərɪŋ	
hammock	ˈhæmək	
hammocks	ˈhæməks	
hand	hænd	
hands	hændz	
handed	ˈhændɪd	
handing	ˈhændɪŋ	
hand-bag	ˈhænd*d*bæg	
hand-bags	ˈhænd*d*bægz	
handful	ˈhænd*d*fʊl	
handfuls	ˈhænd*d*fʊlz	
handicap	ˈhændɪkæp	
handicaps	ˈhændɪkæps	
handicapped	ˈhændɪkæpt	
handicapping	ˈhændɪkæpɪŋ	
handkerchief	ˈhæŋkətʃɪf	
handkerchiefs	ˈhæŋkətʃɪfs	
handle	ˈhænd̩	
handles	ˈhænd̩z	
handled	ˈhænd̩d	
handling	ˈhænd̩ɪŋ	
handsome	ˈhænsəm	
handsomer	ˈhænsəmə(r	ˈhænsəmə
handsomest	ˈhænsəmɪst	
handsomely	ˈhænsəmlɪ	
handy	ˈhændɪ	
handier	ˈhændɪə(r	ˈhændɪə
handiest	ˈhændɪst	
hang	hæŋ	
hangs	hæŋz	
hanged	hæŋd	
hung	hʌŋ	
hanging	ˈhæŋɪŋ	
happen	hæpən	

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happens	hæpənz	
happened	hæpənd	
happening	ˈhæpənɪŋ	
happenings	ˈhæpənɪŋz	
happy	ˈhæpɪ	
happier	ˈhæpɪə(r	ˈhæpɪə
happiest	ˈhæpɪst	
happily	ˈhæpɪlɪ	
happiness	ˈhæpɪnɪs	
harass	ˈhærəs	
harasses	ˈhærəsɪz	
harassed	ˈhærəst	
harassing	ˈhærəsɪŋ	
harbor (*Amer.*)		
harbour	ˈhɑːbə(r	ˈhɑəbə
harbors (*Amer.*)		
harbours	ˈhɑːbəz	ˈhɑəbəz
hard	hɑːd	hɑəd
harder	ˈhɑːdə(r	ˈhɑədə
hardest	ˈhɑːdɪst	ˈhɑədɪst
harden	ˈhɑːdn̩	ˈhɑədn̩
hardens	ˈhɑːdn̩z	ˈhɑədn̩z
hardened	ˈhɑːdn̩d	ˈhɑədn̩d
hardening	ˈhɑːdn̩ɪŋ	ˈhɑədn̩ɪŋ
hardly	ˈhɑːdlɪ	ˈhɑədlɪ
hardness	ˈhɑːdnɪs	ˈhɑədnɪs
hardship	ˈhɑːdʃɪp	ˈhɑədʃɪp
hardships	ˈhɑːdʃɪps	ˈhɑədʃɪps
hardy	ˈhɑːdɪ	ˈhɑədɪ
hare	hɛə(r	hɛə
hares	hɛəz	hɛəz
harm	hɑːm	hɑəm
harms	hɑːmz	hɑəmz
harmed	hɑːmd	hɑəmd
harming	ˈhɑːmɪŋ	ˈhɑəmɪŋ
harmful	ˈhɑˈmful	ˈhɑəmful
harmfully	ˈhɑːmfəlɪ	ˈhɑəmfəlɪ
harmless	ˈhɑːmlɪs	ˈhɑəmlɪs
harmlessly	ˈhɑːmlɪslɪ	ˈhɑəmlɪslɪ
harmonious	hɑˈmounjəs	hɑəˈmounjəs
	hɑˈmounɪəs	hɑəˈmounɪəs
harmoniously	hɑˈmounjəslɪ	hɑəˈmounjəslɪ
	hɑˈmounɪəslɪ	hɑəˈmounɪəslɪ
harmony	ˈhɑːmənɪ	ˈhɑəmənɪ
harmonies	ˈhɑːmənɪz	ˈhɑəmənɪz
harness	ˈhɑːnɪs	ˈhɑənɪs
harnesses	ˈhɑːnɪsɪz	ˈhɑənɪsɪz

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harp	hɑˑp	hɑəp
harps	hɑˑps	hɑəps
harsh	hɑˑʃ	hɑəʃ
harsher	ˈhɑˑʃə(r	ˈhɑəʃə
harshest	ˈhɑˑʃɪst	ˈhɑəʃɪst
harshly	ˈhɑˑʃlɪ	ˈhɑəʃlɪ
harshness	ˈhɑˑʃnɪs	ˈhɑəʃnɪs
harvest	ˈhɑˈvɪst	ˈhɑəvɪst
harvests	ˈhɑˑvɪsts	ˈhɑəvɪsts
harvested	ˈhɑˑvɪstɪd	ˈhɑəvɪstɪd
harvesting	ˈhɑˑvɪstɪŋ	ˈhɑəvɪstɪŋ
harvester	ˈhɑˑvɪstə(r	ˈhɑəvɪstə
harvesters	ˈhɑˑvɪstəz	ˈhɑəvɪstəz
HAS *from* have	hæz *s.f.*, *h*əz, z *w.fs.*	
HASN'T	ˈhæzn̩t	
haste	heɪst	
hasty	ˈheɪstɪ	
hastily	ˈheɪstɪlɪ	
hat	hæt	
hats	hæts	
hate	heɪt	
hates	heɪts	
hated	ˈheɪtɪd	
hating	ˈheɪtɪŋ	
hatred	ˈheɪtrɪd	
hatter	ˈhætə(r	ˈhætə
hatters	ˈhætəz	ˈhætəz
haughty	ˈhɔˑtɪ	
haughtily	ˈhɔˑtɪlɪ	
haul	hɔˑl	
hauls	hɔˑlz	
hauled	hɔˑld	
hauling	ˈhɔˑlɪŋ	
haunt	hɔˑnt	
haunts	hɔˑnts	
haunted	ˈhɔˑntɪd	
haunting	ˈhɔˑntɪŋ	
have	hæv *s.f.*, *h*əv, v *w.fs.*	
has	hæz *s.f.*, *h*əz, z *w.fs.*	
had	hæd *s.f.*, *h*əd, d *w.fs.*	
having	ˈhævɪŋ	
haven't	ˈhævn̩t	
havoc	ˈhævək	
hay	heɪ	
hazy	ˈheɪzɪ	
he	hiˑ *s.f.*, *h*i *w.f.*	
head	hɛd	

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heads	hɛdz	
headache	ˈhɛdeɪk	
headaches	ˈhɛdeɪks	
heading	ˈhɛdɪŋ	
headings	ˈhɛdɪŋz	
headmaster	ˈhɛdˈmɑːstə(r	ˈhɛdˈmɑːstə
headmasters	ˈhɛdˈmɑːstəz	ˈhɛdˈmɑːstəz
headway	ˈhɛdweɪ	
heal	hiːl	
heals	hiːlz	
healed	hiːld	
healing	ˈhiːlɪŋ	
health	hɛlθ	
healths	hɛlθs	
healthy	ˈhɛlθɪ	
healthier	ˈhɛlθɪə(r	ˈhɛlθɪə
healthiest	ˈhɛlθɪɪst	
healthily	ˈhɛlθɪlɪ	
heap	hiːp	
heaps	hiːps	
heaped	hiːpt	
heaping	ˈhiːpɪŋ	
hear	hɪə(r	hɪə
hears	hɪəz	hɪəz
heard	hɜːd	hɜəd
hearing	ˈhɪərɪŋ	ˈhɪˑrɪŋ
hearer	ˈhɪərə(r	ˈhɪˑrə
hearers	ˈhɪərəz	ˈhɪˑrəz
heart	hɑːt	hɑət
hearts	hɑːts	hɑəts
heart-breaking	ˈhɑːtbreɪkɪŋ	ˈhɑətbreɪkɪŋ
heart-broken	ˈhɑːtbroʊkən	ˈhɑətbroʊkən
hearth	hɑːθ	hɑəθ
heartless	ˈhɑːtlɪs	ˈhɑətlɪs
heartlessly	ˈhɑːtlɪslɪ	ˈhɑətlɪslɪ
hearty	ˈhɑːtɪ	ˈhɑətɪ
heartier	ˈhɑːtɪə(r	ˈhɑətɪə
heartiest	ˈhɑːtɪɪst	ˈhɑətɪɪst
heartily	ˈhɑːtɪlɪ	ˈhɑətɪlɪ
heartiness	ˈhɑːtɪnɪs	ˈhɑətɪnɪs
heat	hiːt	
heats	hiːts	
heated	ˈhiːtɪd	
heating	ˈhiːtɪŋ	
heath	hiːθ	
heave	hiːv	
heaves	hiːvz	

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heaved	hiːvd	
heaving	ˈhiːvɪŋ	
heaven	ˈhɛvn̩	
heavens	ˈhɛvn̩z	
heavy	ˈhɛvɪ	
heavier	ˈhɛvɪə(r	ˈhɛvɪə
heaviest	ˈhɛvɪɪst	
heavily	ˈhɛvɪlɪ	
heaviness	ˈhɛvɪnɪs	
Hebrew	ˈhiːbru	
Hebrews	ˈhiːbruz	
hedge	ˈhɛʤ	
hedges	ˈhɛʤɪz	
heel	hiːl	
heels	hiːlz	
height	haɪt	
heights	haɪts	
heighten	ˈhaɪtn̩	
heightens	ˈhaɪtn̩z	
heightened	ˈhaɪtn̩d	
heightening	ˈhaɪtn̩ɪŋ	
heir	ɛə(r	ɛə
heirs	ɛəz	ɛəz
heiress	ˈɛərɪs	ˈɛːrɪs
heiresses	ˈɛərɪsɪz	ˈɛːrɪsɪz
HELD *from* hold	hɛld	
hell	hɛl	
helm	hɛlm	
helms	hɛlmz	
helmet	ˈhɛlmɪt	
helmets	ˈhɛlmɪts	
help	hɛlp	
helps	hɛlps	
helped	hɛlpt	
helping	ˈhɛlpɪŋ	
helper	ˈhɛlpə(r	ˈhɛlpə
helpers	ˈhɛlpəz	ˈhɛlpəz
helpful	ˈhɛlpful	
helpfully	ˈhɛlpfulɪ, ˈhɛlpfəlɪ	
helpless	ˈhɛlplɪs	
helplessly	ˈhɛlplɪslɪ	
helplessness	ˈhɛlplɪsnɪs	
hemisphere	ˈhɛmɪsfɪə(r	ˈhɛmɪsfɪə
hemispheres	ˈhɛmɪsfɪəz	ˈhɛmɪsfɪəz
hen	hɛn	
hens	hɛnz	
hence	hɛns	

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Henry	ˈhɛnrɪ	
her	hɜˑ(r *s.f.*, *hə w.f.*	hɜə *s.f.*, *hə w.f.*
herb	hɜˑb	ɜəb
herbs	hɜˑbz	ɜəbz
herd	hɜˑd	hɜəd
herds	hɜˑdz	hɜədz
here	hɪə(r	hɪə
hereabout	ˈhɪərəbaʊt	ˈhɪˑrəbaʊt
hereabouts	ˈhɪərəbaʊts	ˈhɪˑrəbaʊts
hereafter	hɪəˈrɑˑftə(r	hɪˈrɑˑftə
	hjəˈrɑˑftə(r	
hereby	ˈhɪəˈbaɪ	ˈhɪəˈbaɪ
hereditary	hɪˈrɛdɪtərɪ	
heredity	hɪˈrɛdɪtɪ	
heresy	ˈhɛrəsɪ, ˈhɛrɪsɪ	
heresies	ˈhɛrəsɪz, ˈhɛrɪsɪz	
herewith	ˈhɪəˈwɪð, ˈhɪəˈwɪθ	ˈhɪəˈwɪð, ˈhɪəˈwɪθ
hero	ˈhɪərou	ˈhɪˑrou
heroes	ˈhɪərouz	ˈhɪˑrouz
heroic	hɪˈroʊɪk	
heroically	hɪˈroʊɪkəlɪ	
heroine	ˈhɛroʊɪn	
heroines	ˈhɛroʊɪnz	
heroism	ˈhɛroʊɪzm̩	
herring	ˈhɛrɪŋ	
herrings	ˈhɛrɪŋz	
hers	hɜˑz	hɜəz
herself, *emph. pro.*	hɜˈsɛlf	hɜəsɛlf
herself, *reflex. pro.*	*hə*ˈsɛlf	*hə*ˈsɛlf
hesitate	ˈhɛzɪteɪt	
hesitates	ˈhɛzɪteɪts	
hesitated	ˈhɛzɪteɪtɪd	
hesitating	ˈhɛzɪteɪtɪŋ	
hesitation	hɛzɪˈteɪʃən	
heterogeneous	ˈhɛtərouˈʤiˑnjəs	
	ˈhɛtərəˈʤiˑnjəs	
hi	haɪ	
hide	haɪd	
hides	haɪdz	
hid	hɪd	
hidden	ˈhɪdn̩	
hiding	ˈhaɪdɪŋ	
hideous	ˈhɪdɪəs, ˈhɪdjəs	
hideously	ˈhɪdɪəslɪ, ˈhɪdjəslɪ	
high	haɪ	
higher	ˈhaɪə(r	ˈhaɪə
highest	ˈhaɪɪst	

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highly	ˈhaɪlɪ	
high-handed	ˈhaɪˈhændɪd	
highness	ˈhaɪnɪs	
highnesses	ˈhaɪnɪsɪz	
high-road	ˈhaɪˈroʊd	
high-roads	ˈhaɪˈroʊdz	
hill	hɪl	
hills	hɪlz	
hilly	ˈhɪlɪ	
hillier	ˈhɪlɪə(r	ˈhɪlɪə
hilliest	ˈhɪlɪɪst	
hilliness	ˈhɪlɪnɪs	
him	hɪm *s.f.*, *h*ɪm *w.f.*	
himself, *emph. pro.*	hɪmˈsɛlf	
himself, *reflex. pro.*	*h*ɪmˈsɛlf	
hinder	ˈhɪndə(r	ˈhɪndə
hinders	ˈhɪndəz	ˈhɪndəz
hindered	ˈhɪndəd	ˈhɪndəd
hindering	ˈhɪndərɪŋ	
hindrance	ˈhɪndrəns	
hindrances	ˈhɪndrənsɪz	
hinge	hɪnʤ	
hinges	ˈhɪnʤɪz	
hint	hɪnt	
hints	hɪnts	
hinted	ˈhɪntɪd	
hinting	ˈhɪntɪŋ	
hip	hɪp	
hips	hɪps	
hippopotamus	hɪpəˈpɒtəməs	hɪpəˈpɑtəməs
hippopotami	hɪpəˈpɒtəmaɪ	hɪpəˈpɑtəmaɪ
hippopotamuses	hɪpəˈpɒtəməsɪz	hɪpəˈpɑtəməsɪz
hire	ˈhaɪə(r	ˈhaɪə
hires	ˈhaɪəz	ˈhaɪəz
hired	ˈhaɪəd	ˈhaɪəd
hiring	ˈhaɪərɪŋ	
his	hɪz *s.f.*, *h*ɪz *w.f.*	
historian	hɪsˈtɔːrɪən	
historians	hɪsˈtɔːrɪənz	
historical	hɪsˈtɒrɪkəl	
historically	hɪsˈtɒrɪkəlɪ	
history	ˈhɪstərɪ	
histories	ˈhɪstərɪz	
hit	hɪt	
hits	hɪts	
hitting	ˈhɪtɪŋ	
hitherto	ˈhɪðəˈtuː	ˈhɪðəˈtuː

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hoard	hɔˈd, hɔəd	hoəd
hoards	hɔˈdz, hɔədz	hoədz
hoarded	ˈhɔˈdɪd, ˈhɔədɪd	ˈhoədɪd
hoarding	ˈhɔˈdɪŋ, ˈhɔədɪŋ	ˈhoədɪŋ
hoarse	hɔˈs, hɔəs	hoəs
hoarsely	ˈhɔˈslɪ, ˈhɔəslɪ	ˈhoəslɪ
hoarseness	ˈhɔˈsnɪs, ˈhɔəsnɪs	ˈhoəsnɪs
hoax	houks	
hoaxes	ˈhouksɪz	
hoaxed	ˈhoukst	
hoaxing	ˈhouksɪŋ	
hobby	ˈhɒbɪ	ˈhɑbɪ
hobbies	hɒbɪz	ˈhɑbɪz
hoist	hɔɪst	
hoists	hɔɪsts	
hoisted	ˈhɔɪstɪd	
hoisting	ˈhɔɪstɪŋ	
hold	hould	
holds	houldz	
held	hɛld	
holding	ˈhouldɪŋ	
holder	ˈhouldə(r	ˈhouldə
holders	ˈhouldəz	ˈhouldəz
hole	houl	
holes	houlz	
holiday	ˈhɒlədɪ, ˈhɒlɪdɪ, ˈhɒlɪdeɪ	ˈhɑlədɪ, ˈhɑlɪdɪ, ˈhɑlɪdeɪ
holidays	ˈhɒlədɪz, ˈhɒlɪdɪz, ˈhɒlɪdeɪz	ˈhɑlədɪz, ˈhɑlɪdɪz, ˈhɑlɪdeɪz
Holland	ˈhɒlənd	ˈhɑlənd
hollow	ˈhɒlou	ˈhɑlou
hollows	ˈhɒlouz	ˈhɑlouz
hollower	ˈhɒlouə(r	ˈhɑlouə
hollowest	ˈhɒlouɪst	ˈhɑlouɪst
holy	ˈhoulɪ	
holier	ˈhoulɪə(r	ˈhoulɪə
holiest	ˈhoulɪst	
holiness	ˈhoulɪnɪs	
home	houm	
homes	houmz	
homeless	ˈhoumlɪs	
homely	ˈhoumlɪ	
honest	ˈɒnɪst	ˈɑnɪst
honestly	ˈɒnɪstlɪ	ˈɑnɪstlɪ
honesty	ˈɒnɪstɪ	ˈɑnɪstɪ
honey	ˈhʌnɪ	
honorary	ˈɒnərərɪ	ˈɑnərɛrɪ

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honor (*Amer.*)		
honour	ˈɒnə(r	ˈɑnə
honors (*Amer.*)		
honours	ˈɒnəz	ˈɑnəz
honored (*Amer.*)		
honoured	ˈɒnəd	ˈɑnəd
honoring (*Amer.*)		
honouring	ˈɒnərɪŋ	ˈɑnərɪŋ
honorable (*Amer.*)		
honourable	ˈɒnərəbl̩	ˈɑnərəbl̩
honorably (*Amer.*)		
honourably	ˈɒnərəblɪ	ˈɑnərəblɪ
hood	hʊd	
hoods	hʊdz	
hoof	huːf	
hoofs	huːfs	
hooves	huːvz	
hook	hʊk	
hooks	hʊks	
hooked	hʊkt	
hooking	ˈhʊkɪŋ	
hoop	huːp	
hoops	huːps	
hoot	huːt	
hoots	huːts	
hooted	ˈhuːtɪd	
hooting	ˈhuːtɪŋ	
hop	hɒp	hɑp
hops	hɒps	hɑps
hopped	hɒpt	hɑpt
hopping	ˈhɒpɪŋ	ˈhɑpɪŋ
hope	houp	
hopes	houps	
hoped	houpt	
hoping	ˈhoupɪŋ	
hopeful	ˈhoupful	
hopefully	ˈhoupfulɪ, ˈhoupfəlɪ	
hopeless	ˈhouplɪs	
hopelessly	ˈhouplɪslɪ	
horizon	həˈraɪzn̩	
horizons	həˈraɪzn̩z	
horizontal	hɒrɪˈzɒntl̩	
horizontally	hɒrɪˈzɒntəlɪ	
horn	hɔːn	hɔən
horns	hɔːnz	hɔənz
horny	ˈhɔːnɪ	ˈhɔənɪ
horrible	ˈhɒrɪbl̩, ˈhɒrəbl̩	

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horribly	ˈhɒrɪblɪ, ˈhɒrəblɪ	
horror	ˈhɒrə(r	ˈhɒrə
horse	hɔˈs	hɔəs
horses	ˈhɔˈsɪz	ˈhɔəsɪz
horseman	ˈhɔˈsmən	ˈhɔəsmən
horsemen	ˈhɔˈsmən	ˈhɔəsmən
horse-shoe	ˈhɔˈsʃu, ˈhɔˈʃʃu	ˈhɔəsʃu, ˈhɔəʃʃu
horse-shoes	ˈhɔˈsʃuz, ˈhɔˈʃʃuz	ˈhɔəsʃuz, ˈhɔəʃʃuz
hose	houz	
hoses	ˈhouzɪz	
hospitable	ˈhɒspɪtəbḷ	ˈhɑspɪtəbḷ
hospitably	ˈhɒspɪtəblɪ	ˈhɑspɪtəblɪ
hospital	ˈhɒspɪtḷ	ˈhɑspɪtḷ
hospitals	ˈhɒspɪtḷz	ˈhɑspɪtḷz
hospitality	hɒspɪˈtælɪtɪ	hɑspɪˈtælɪtɪ
host	houst	
hosts	housts	
hostage	ˈhɒstɪʤ	ˈhɑstɪʤ
hostages	ˈhɒstɪʤɪz	ˈhɑstɪʤɪz
hostel	ˈhɒstəl	ˈhɑstḷ
hostels	ˈhɒstəlz	ˈhɑstḷz
hostess	ˈhoustɪs	
hostesses	ˈhoustɪsɪz	
hostile	ˈhɒstaɪl	ˈhɑstɪl
hostility	hɒsˈtɪlɪtɪ	hɑsˈtɪlɪtɪ
hostilities	hɒsˈtɪlɪtɪz	hɑsˈtɪlɪtɪz
hot	hɒt	hɑt
hotter	ˈhɒtə(r	ˈhɑtə
hottest	ˈhɒtɪst	ˈhɑtɪst
hotly	ˈhɒtlɪ	ˈhɑtlɪ
hotel	*h*ouˈtɛl	
hotels	*h*ouˈtɛlz	
hothouse	ˈhɒthaus	ˈhɑthaus
hothouses	ˈhɒthausɪz	ˈhɑthausɪz
hound	haund	
hounds	haundz	
hour	auə(r	auə
hours	auəz	auəz
hourly	ˈauəlɪ	ˈauəlɪ
house	haus	
houses	ˈhauzɪz	
household	ˈhaus*h*ould	
households	ˈhaus*h*ouldz	
housekeeper	ˈhauskipə(r	ˈhauskipə
housekeepers	ˈhauskipəz	ˈhauskipəz
housemaid	ˈhausmeɪd	
housemaids	ˈhausmeɪdz	

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hovel	ˈhɒvl̩, ˈhʌvl̩	ˈhɑvl̩
hovels	ˈhɒvl̩z, ˈhʌvl̩z	ˈhɑvl̩z
hover	ˈhɒvə(r, ˈhʌvə(r	ˈhɑvə, ˈhʌvə
hovers	ˈhɒvəz, ˈhʌvəz	ˈhɑvəz, ˈhʌvəz
hovered	ˈhɒvəd, ˈhʌvəd	ˈhɑvəd, ˈhʌvəd
hovering	ˈhɒvərɪŋ, ˈhʌvərɪŋ	ˈhɑvərɪŋ, ˈhʌvərɪŋ
how	haʊ	
however	haʊˈɛvə(r	haʊˈɛvə
howl	haʊl	
howls	haʊlz	
howled	haʊld	
howling	ˈhaʊlɪŋ	
huddle	ˈhʌdl̩	
huddles	ˈhʌdl̩z	
huddled	ˈhʌdl̩d	
huddling	ˈhʌdl̩ɪŋ	
hug	hʌg	
hugs	hʌgz	
hugged	hʌgd	
hugging	ˈhʌgɪŋ	
huge	hjuˈʤ	
hugeness	ˈhjuˈʤnɪs	
hullo	ˈhʌˈloʊ	
hum	hʌm	
hums	hʌmz	
hummed	hʌmd	
humming	ˈhʌmɪŋ	
human	ˈhjuˈmən	
humanly	ˈhjuˈmənlɪ	
humane	hjuˈmeɪn	
humanely	hjuˈmeɪnlɪ	
humanity	hjuˈmænɪtɪ	
humble	ˈhʌmbl̩	
humbler	ˈhʌmblə(r	ˈhʌmblə
humblest	ˈhʌmblɪst	
humbly	ˈhʌmblɪ	
humiliate	hjuˈmɪlɪeɪt	
humiliates	hjuˈmɪlɪeɪts	
humiliated	hjuˈmɪlɪeɪtɪd	
humiliating	hjuˈmɪlɪeɪtɪŋ	
humiliation	hjumɪlɪˈeɪʃən	
humiliations	hjumɪlɪˈeɪʃənz	
humility	hjuˈmɪlɪtɪ	
humorist	ˈhjuˈmərɪst	
humorists	ˈhjuˈmərɪsts	
humorous	ˈhjuˈmərəs	
humorously	ˈhjuˈmərəslɪ	

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humor (*Amer.*)		
humour	ˈhju·mə(r	ˈhju·mə
humors (*Amer.*)		
humours	ˈhju·məz	ˈhju·məz
humored (*Amer.*)		
humoured	ˈhju·məd	ˈhju·məd
humoring (*Amer.*)		
humouring	ˈhju·mərɪŋ	
hump	hʌmp	
humps	hʌmps	
hunchback	ˈhʌntʃbæk	
hunchbacks	ˈhʌntʃbæks	
hunchbacked	ˈhʌntʃbækt	
hundred	ˈhʌndrəd	
	ˈhʌndrɪd	
hundreds	ˈhʌndrədz	
	ˈhʌndrɪdz	
hundredth	ˈhʌndrədθ	
	ˈhʌndrətθ	
	ˈhʌndrɪdθ	
	ˈhʌndrɪtθ	
hundredths	ˈhʌndrədθs	
	ˈhʌndrətθs	
	ˈhʌndrɪdθs	
	ˈhʌndrɪtθs	
hundredweight	ˈhʌndrədweɪt	
	ˈhʌndrɪdweɪt	
hundredweights	ˈhʌndrədweɪts	
	ˈhʌndrɪdweɪts	
HUNG *from* hang	hʌŋ	
Hungarian	hʌŋˈgɛərɪən	hʌŋˈgɛ·rɪən
Hungarians	hʌŋˈgɛərɪənz	hʌŋˈgɛ·rɪənz
Hungary	ˈhʌŋgərɪ	
hunger	ˈhʌŋgə(r	ˈhʌŋgə
hungry	ˈhʌŋgrɪ	
hungrier	ˈhʌŋgrɪə(r	ˈhʌŋgrɪə
hungriest	ˈhʌŋgrɪst	
hungrily	ˈhʌŋgrɪlɪ	
hunt	hʌnt	
hunts	hʌnts	
hunted	ˈhʌntɪd	
hunting	ˈhʌntɪŋ	
hunter	ˈhʌntə(r	ˈhʌntə
hunters	ˈhʌntəz	ˈhʌntəz
huntsman	ˈhʌntsmən	
huntsmen	ˈhʌntsmən	
hurl	hə·l	həəl

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hurls	hə·lz	həəlz
hurled	hə·ld	həəld
hurling	'hə·lɪŋ	'həəlɪŋ
hurrah	hʊ'rɑ·, hʊ'reɪ	
hurry	'hʌrɪ	'hərɪ
hurries	'hʌrɪz	'hərɪz
hurried	'hʌrɪd	'hərɪd
hurrying	'hʌrɪɪŋ	'hərɪɪŋ
hurriedly	'hʌrɪdlɪ	'hərɪdlɪ
hurt	hə·t	həət
hurts	hə·ts	həəts
hurting	'hə·tɪŋ	'həətɪŋ
husband	'hʌzbənd	
husbands	'hʌzbəndz	
hush, *verb*	hʌʃ	
hushes	'hʌʃɪz	
hushed	hʌʃt	
hushing	'hʌʃɪŋ	
hush, *interj.*	hʌʃ, ʃ	
hustle	'hʌs̩	
hustles	'hʌs̩z	
hustled	'hʌs̩d	
hustling	'hʌs̩ɪŋ	
hut	hʌt	
huts	hʌts	
hydrogen	'haɪdrəʤən	
hygiene	'haɪʤin, 'haɪʤɪn	
hygienic	haɪʤɪ'enɪk, haɪ'ʤi·nɪk	
hymn	hɪm	
hymns	hɪmz	
hyphen	'haɪfn̩	
hyphens	'haɪfn̩z	
hypnotic	hɪp'nɒtɪk	hɪp'nɑtɪk
hypnotism	'hɪpnətɪzm̩	
hypnotize	'hɪpnətaɪz	
hypnotizes	'hɪpnətaɪzɪz	
hypnotized	'hɪpnətaɪzd	
hypnotizing	'hɪpnətaɪzɪŋ	
hypocrisy	hɪ'pɒkrɪsɪ	hɪ'pɑkrɪsɪ
hypocrite	'hɪpəkrɪt	
hypocrites	'hɪpəkrɪts	
hypothesis	haɪ'pɒθɪsɪs	haɪ'pɑθɪsɪs
	haɪ'pɒθəsɪs	haɪ'pɑθəsɪs
hypotheses	haɪ'pɒθɪsi·z	haɪ'pɑθɪsi·z
	haɪ'pɒθəsi·z	haɪ'pɑθəsi·z

I

I	aɪ	
I's	aɪz	
ice	aɪs	
ices	ˈaɪsɪz	
iceberg	ˈaɪsbɜg	ˈaɪsbɜeg
icebergs	ˈaɪsbɜgz	ˈaɪsbɜəgz
ice-cream	aɪsˈkriːm	
Iceland	ˈaɪslənd	
icicle	ˈaɪsɪk‖	
icicles	ˈaɪsɪk‖z	
icy	ˈaɪsɪ	
idea	aɪˈdɪə	
ideas	aɪˈdɪəz	
ideal	aɪˈdiːəl, aɪˈdɪəl	
ideals	aɪˈdiːəlz, aɪˈdɪəlz	
idealism	aɪˈdiːəlɪzm̩, aɪˈdɪəlɪzm̩	
idealist	aɪˈdiːəlɪst, aɪˈdɪəlɪst	
idealists	aɪˈdiːəlɪsts	
	aɪˈdɪəlɪsts	
ideally	aɪˈdiːəlɪ, aɪˈdɪəlɪ	
identical	aɪˈdɛntɪkəl	
identically	aɪˈdɛntɪkəlɪ	
identification	aɪdɛntɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
identifications	aɪdɛntɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
identify	aɪˈdɛntɪfaɪ	
identifies	aɪˈdɛntɪfaɪz	
identified	aɪˈdɛntɪfaɪd	
identifying	aɪˈdɛntɪfaɪɪŋ	
identity	aɪˈdɛntɪtɪ	
identities	aɪˈdɛntɪtɪz	
idiocy	ˈɪdɪəsɪ	
idiom	ˈɪdɪəm, ˈɪdjəm	
idioms	ˈɪdɪəmz, ˈɪdjəmz	
idiomatic	ɪdɪəˈmætɪk	
idiomatically	ɪdɪəˈmætɪkəlɪ	
idiot	ˈɪdɪət, ˈɪdjət	
idiots	ˈɪdɪəts, ˈɪdjəts	
idiotic	ɪdɪˈɒtɪk	ɪdɪˈɑtɪk
idle	ˈaɪd‖	
idly	ˈaɪdlɪ	
idleness	ˈaɪd‖nɪs	
idol	ˈaɪd‖	
idols	ˈaɪd‖z	
i.e.	ˈaɪˈiː [ˈðæt ˈɪz]	
if	ɪf *s.f.*, ɪf *w.f.*	

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
ignition	ɪg′nɪʃən	
ignominious	ɪgnə′mɪnjəs	
ignominiously	ɪgnə′mɪnjəslɪ	
ignorance	′ɪgnərəns	
ignorant	′ɪgnərənt	
ignorantly	′ɪgnərəntlɪ	
ignore	ɪg′nɔ·(r, ɪg′nɔə(r	ɪg′noə
ignores	ɪg′nɔ·z, ɪg′nɔəz	ɪg′noəz
ignored	ɪg′nɔ·d, ɪg′nɔəd	ɪg′noəd
ignoring	ɪg′nɔ·rɪŋ, ɪg′nɔərɪŋ	ɪg′no·rɪŋ
ill	ɪl	
ill-bred	′ɪl′brɛd	
illegal	ɪ′li·gəl	
illegally	ɪ′li·gəlɪ	
illegibility	ɪlɛʤɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
illegible	ɪ′lɛʤɪbḷ	
illegibly	ɪ′lɛʤɪblɪ	
illegitimate	ɪlɪ′ʤɪtɪmɪt	
illegitimately	ɪlɪ′ʤɪtɪmɪtlɪ	
illness	′ɪlnɪs	
illnesses	′ɪlnɪsɪz	
illogical	ɪ′lɒʤɪkəl	ɪ′laʤɪkəl
illogically	ɪ′lɒʤɪkəlɪ	ɪ′laʤɪkəlɪ
ill-treat	ɪl′tri·t	
ill-treats	ɪl′tri·ts	
ill-treated	ɪl′tri·tɪd	
ill-treating	ɪl′tri·tɪŋ	
ill-treatment	ɪl′tri·tmənt	
illuminate	ɪ′lju·mɪneɪt	
illuminates	ɪ′lju·mɪneɪts	
illuminated	ɪ′lju·mɪneɪtɪd	
illuminating	ɪ′lju·mɪneɪtɪŋ	
illumination	ɪljumɪ′neɪʃən	
illuminations	ɪljumɪ′neɪʃənz	
ill-used	′ɪl′ju·zd	
illusion	ɪ′lju·ʒn̩	
illusions	ɪ′lju·ʒn̩z	
illusive	ɪ′lju·sɪv	
illusory	ɪ′lju·sərɪ	
illustrate	′ɪləstreɪt	
illustrates	′ɪləstreɪts	
illustrated	′ɪləstreɪtɪd	
illustrating	′ɪləstreɪtɪŋ	
illustration	ɪləs′treɪʃən	
illustrations	ɪləs′treɪʃənz	
ill-will	′ɪl′wɪl	
image	′ɪmɪʤ	

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
images	ˈɪmɪʤɪz	
imaginable	ɪˈmæʤɪnəbl̩	
imaginary	ɪˈmæʤɪnərɪ	ɪˈmæʤɪnɛrɪ
imagination	ɪmæʤɪˈneɪʃən	
imaginations	ɪmæʤɪˈneɪʃənz	
imaginative	ɪˈmæʤɪnətɪv	
imagine	ɪˈmæʤɪn	
imagines	ɪˈmæʤɪnz	
imagined	ɪˈmæʤɪnd	
imagining	ɪˈmæʤɪnɪŋ	
imaginings	ɪˈmæʤɪnɪŋz	
imitable	ˈɪmɪtəbl̩	
imitate	ˈɪmɪteɪt	
imitates	ˈɪmɪteɪts	
imitated	ˈɪmɪteɪtɪd	
imitating	ˈɪmɪteɪtɪŋ	
imitator	ˈɪmɪteɪtə(r	ˈɪmɪteɪtə
imitators	ˈɪmɪteɪtəz	ˈɪmɪteɪtəz
imitation	ɪmɪˈteɪʃən	
imitations	ɪmɪˈteɪʃənz	
imitative	ˈɪmɪteɪtɪv, ˈɪmɪtətɪv	
immaterial	ɪməˈtɪərɪəl	ɪməˈtɪˑrɪəl
immediate	ɪˈmiˑdjət	
immediately	ɪˈmiˑdjətlɪ	
immense	ɪˈmɛns	
immensely	ɪˈmɛnslɪ	
immensity	ɪˈmɛnsɪtɪ	
immigrant	ˈɪmɪgrənt	
immigrants	ˈɪmɪgrənts	
immigrate	ˈɪmɪgreɪt	
immigrates	ˈɪmɪgreɪts	
immigrated	ˈɪmɪgreɪtɪd	
immigrating	ˈɪmɪgreɪtɪŋ	
immigration	ɪmɪˈgreɪʃən	
immigrations	ɪmɪˈgreɪʃənz	
immoral	ɪˈmɒrəl	
immorality	†ɪməˈrælɪtɪ	
immortal	ɪˈmɔˑtl̩	ɪˈmɔətl̩
immortally	ɪˈmɔˑtəlɪ	ɪˈmɔətəlɪ
immortality	ɪmɔˈtælɪtɪ	ɪmɔəˈtælɪtɪ
impair	ɪmˈpɛə(r	ɪmˈpɛə
impairs	ɪmˈpɛəz	ɪmˈpɛəz
impaired	ɪmˈpɛəd	ɪmˈpɛəd
impairing	ɪmˈpɛərɪŋ	ɪmˈpɛˑrɪŋ
impart	ɪmˈpɑˑt	ɪmˈpɑət

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imparts	ɪm′pɑːts	ɪm′pɑəts
imparted	ɪm′pɑːtɪd	ɪm′pɑətɪd
imparting	ɪm′pɑːtɪŋ	ɪm′pɑətɪŋ
impartial	ɪm′pɑːʃəl	ɪm′pɑəʃəl
impartially	ɪm′pɑːʃəlɪ	ɪm′pɑəʃəlɪ
impartiality	ɪmpɑʃɪ′ælɪtɪ	ɪmpɑəʃɪ′ælɪtɪ
impatience	ɪm′peɪʃəns	
impatient	ɪm′peɪʃənt	
impatiently	ɪm′peɪʃəntlɪ	
imperative	ɪm′pɛrətɪv	
imperceptible	ɪmpə′sɛptəbḷ	ɪmpə′sɛptəbḷ
	ɪmpə′sɛptɪbḷ	ɪmpə′sɛptɪbḷ
imperceptibly	ɪmpə′sɛptəblɪ	ɪmpə′sɛptəblɪ
	ɪmpə′sɛptɪblɪ	ɪmpə′sɛptɪblɪ
imperfect	ɪm′pɜːfɪkt	ɪm′pɜəfɪkt
imperfectly	ɪm′pɜ′fɪktlɪ	ɪm′pɜəfɪktlɪ
imperial	ɪm′pɪərɪəl	ɪm′pɪːrɪəl
impersonal	ɪm′pɜːsənḷ	ɪm′pɜəsənḷ
impersonally	ɪm′pɜːsənəlɪ	ɪm′pɜəsənəlɪ
impersonate	ɪm′pɜːsəneɪt	ɪm′pɜəsəneɪt
impersonates	ɪm′pɜːsəneɪts	ɪm′pɜəsəneɪts
impersonated	ɪm′pɜːsəneɪtɪd	ɪm′pɜəsəneɪtɪd
impersonating	ɪm′pɜːsəneɪtɪŋ	ɪm′pɜəsəneɪtɪŋ
impertinence	ɪm′pɜːtɪnəns	ɪm′pɜətɪnəns
impertinent	ɪm′pɜːtɪnənt	ɪm′pɜətɪnənt
impetuosity	ɪmpɛtjuˈɒsɪtɪ	ɪmpɛtjuˈɑsɪtɪ
impetuous	ɪm′pɛtjʊəs	
impetuously	ɪm′pɛtjʊəslɪ	
impiety	ɪm′paɪətɪ	
impious	′ɪmpɪəs, ′ɪmpjəs	
impiously	′ɪmpɪəslɪ, ′ɪmpjəslɪ	
implication	ɪmplɪ′keɪʃən	
implications	ɪmplɪ′keɪʃənz	
implore	ɪm′plɔː(r, ɪm′plɔə(r	ɪm′ploə
implores	ɪm′plɔːz, ɪm′plɔəz	ɪm′ploəz
implored	ɪm′plɔːd, ɪm′plɔəd	ɪm′ploəd
imploring	ɪm′plɔːrɪŋ	ɪm′plɔːrɪŋ
	ɪm′plɔərɪŋ	
imply	ɪm′plaɪ	
implies	ɪm′plaɪz	
implied	ɪm′plaɪd	
implying	ɪm′plaɪɪŋ	
impolite	†ɪmpə′laɪt	
impolitely	†ɪmpə′laɪtlɪ	
impoliteness	†ɪmpə′laɪtnɪs	
import, *noun*	′ɪmpɔt	′ɪmpoət
imports	′ɪmpɔts	′ɪmpoəts

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import, *verb*	ɪm′pɔːt	ɪm′poət
imports	ɪm′pɔːts	ɪm′poəts
imported	ɪm′pɔːtɪd	ɪm′poətɪd
importing	ɪm′pɔːtɪŋ	ɪm′poətɪŋ
importer	ɪm′pɔːtə(r	ɪm′poətə
importers	ɪm′pɔːtəz	ɪm′poətəz
importance	ɪm′pɔːtəns	ɪm′poətəns
important	ɪm′pɔːtənt	ɪm′poətənt
importation	ɪmpɔ′teɪʃən	ɪmpoə′teɪʃən
importations	ɪmpɔ′teɪʃənz	ɪmpoə′teɪʃənz
impose	ɪm′pəʊz	
imposes	ɪm′pəʊzɪz	
imposed	ɪm′pəʊzd	
imposing, *adj. & verb*	ɪm′pəʊzɪŋ	
imposition	ɪmpə′zɪʃən	
impossibility	ɪmpɒsə′bɪlɪtɪ	ɪmpɑsə′bɪlɪtɪ
	ɪmpɒsɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	ɪmpɑsɪ′bɪlɪtɪ
impossibilities	ɪmpɒsə′bɪlɪtɪz	ɪmpɑsə′bɪlɪtɪz
	ɪmpɒsɪ′bɪlɪtɪz	ɪmpɑsɪ′bɪlɪtɪz
impossible	ɪm′pɒsəbḷ, ɪm′pɒsɪbḷ	ɪm′pɑsəbḷ, ɪm′pɑsɪbḷ
impossibly	ɪm′pɒsəblɪ, ɪm′pɒsɪblɪ	ɪm′pɑsəblɪ, ɪm′pɑsɪblɪ
impostor	ɪm′pɒstə(r	ɪm′pɑstə
impostors	ɪm′pɒstəz	ɪm′pɑstəz
imposture	ɪm′pɒstʃə(r	ɪm′pɑstʃə
impostures	ɪm′pɒstʃəz	ɪm′pɑstʃəz
impracticable	ɪm′præktɪkəbḷ	
impregnable	ɪm′prɛgnəbḷ	
impress	ɪm′prɛs	
impresses	ɪm′prɛsɪz	
impressed	ɪm′prɛst	
impressing	ɪm′prɛsɪŋ	
impression	ɪm′prɛʃən	
impressions	ɪm′prɛʃənz	
impressionable	ɪm′prɛʃənəbḷ	
impressive	ɪm′prɛsɪv	
impressively	ɪm′prɛsɪvlɪ	
imprison	ɪm′prɪzṇ	
imprisons	ɪm′prɪzṇz	
imprisoned	ɪm′prɪzṇd	
imprisoning	ɪm′prɪzṇɪŋ	
imprisonment	ɪm′prɪzṇmənt	
imprisonments	ɪm′prɪzṇmənts	
improbability	ɪmprɒbə′bɪlɪtɪ	ɪmprɑbə′bɪlɪtɪ
improbable	ɪm′prɒbəbḷ	ɪm′prɑbəbḷ
improper	ɪm′prɒpə(r	ɪm′prɑpə
improperly	ɪm′prɒpəlɪ	ɪm′prɑpəlɪ
improvable	ɪm′pruːvəbḷ	

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improve	ɪm′pru·v	
improves	ɪm′pru·vz	
improved	ɪm′pru·vd	
improving	ɪm′pru·vɪŋ	
improvement	ɪm′pru·vmənt	
improvements	ɪm′pru·vmənts	
improvise	†′ɪmprəvaɪz	
improvises	†′ɪmprəvaɪzɪz	
improvised	†′ɪmprəvaɪzd	
improvising	†′ɪmprəvaɪzɪŋ	
imprudence	ɪm′pru·dəns	
imprudent	ɪm′pru·dənt	
imprudently	ɪm′pru·dəntlɪ	
impudence	′ɪmpjʊdəns	
impudent	′ɪmpjʊdənt	
impudently	′ɪmpjʊdəntlɪ	
impulse	′ɪmpʌls	
impulses	′ɪmpʌlsɪz	
impulsive	ɪm′pʌlsɪv	
impulsively	ɪm′pʌlsɪvlɪ	
impure	ɪm′pjʊə(r	ɪm′pjʊə
impurely	ɪm′pjʊəlɪ	ɪm′pjʊəlɪ
impurity	ɪm′pjʊərɪtɪ	ɪm′pjʊ·rɪtɪ
impurities	ɪm′pjʊərɪtɪz	ɪm′pjʊ·rɪtɪz
in	ɪn *s.f.*, ɪn *w.f.*	
inability	ɪnə′bɪlɪtɪ	
inaccuracy	ɪ′nækjʊrəsɪ	
inaccurate	ɪ′nækjʊrɪt	
inaccurately	ɪ′nækjʊrɪtlɪ	
inaction	ɪ′nækʃən	
inactive	ɪ′næktɪv	
inactively	ɪ′næktɪvlɪ	
inactivity	ɪnæk′tɪvɪtɪ	
inadequacy	ɪ′nædɪkwəsɪ	
inadequate	ɪ′nædɪkwɪt	
inadequately	ɪ′nædɪkwɪtlɪ	
inadmissible	ɪnəd′mɪsəbl̩ ɪnəd′mɪsɪbl̩	
inapplicable	ɪ′næplɪkəbl̩	
inappreciable	ɪnə′pri·ʃɪəbl̩ ɪnə′pri·ʃjəbl̩	
inappropriate	ɪnə′prouprɪt	
inappropriately	ɪnə′prouprɪtlɪ	
inappropriateness	ɪnə′prouprɪtnɪs	
inattention	ɪnə′tɛnʃən	

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inattentive	ɪnə′tɛntɪv	
inaudibility	ɪnɔdə′bɪlɪtɪ	
inaudible	ɪ′nɔ·dəbḷ, ɪ′nɔ·dɪbḷ	
inaudibly	ɪ′nɔ·dəblɪ, ɪ′nɔ·dɪblɪ	
inaugurate	ɪ′nɔ·gjureɪt	
inaugurates	ɪ′nɔ·gjureɪts	
inaugurated	ɪ′nɔ·gjureɪtɪd	
inaugurating	ɪ′nɔ·gjureɪtɪŋ	
inauguration	ɪnɔgju′reɪʃən	
inaugurations	ɪnɔgju′reɪʃənz	
inauspicious	ɪnɔs′pɪʃəs	
inauspiciously	ɪnɔs′pɪʃəslɪ	
inborn	′ɪn′bɔ·n, ′ɪn′bɔən	′ɪn′bɔən
incalculable	ɪn′kælkjʊləbḷ	
incalculably	ɪn′kælkjʊləblɪ	
incandescence	ɪnkæn′dɛsn̩s	
	ɪnkən′dɛsn̩s	
incandescent	ɪnkæn′dɛsn̩t	
	ɪnkən′dɛsn̩t	
incapability	ɪnkeɪpə′bɪlɪtɪ	
incapable	ɪn′keɪpəbḷ	
incapacity	ɪnkə′pæsɪtɪ	
incense	′ɪnsɛns	
incentive	ɪn′sɛntɪv	
incentives	ɪn′sɛntɪvz	
incessant	ɪn′sɛsənt	
incessantly	ɪn′sɛsəntlɪ	
inch	ɪntʃ	
inches	′ɪntʃɪz	
incident	′ɪnsɪdənt	
incidents	′ɪnsɪdənts	
incidental	ɪnsɪ′dɛntḷ	
incidentally	ɪnsɪ′dɛntəlɪ	
incite	ɪn′saɪt	
incites	ɪn′saɪts	
incited	ɪn′saɪtɪd	
inciting	ɪn′saɪtɪŋ	
incivility	ɪnsɪ′vɪlɪtɪ	
inclination	ɪnklɪ′neɪʃən	
inclinations	ɪnklɪ′neɪʃənz	
incline	ɪn′klaɪn	
inclines	ɪn′klaɪnz	
inclined	ɪn′klaɪnd	
inclining	ɪn′klaɪnɪŋ	
inclose, *etc.* *See* enclose, *etc.*		
include	ɪn′klu·d	

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includes	ɪn′kluˈdz	
included	ɪn′kluˈdɪd	
including	ɪn′kluˈdɪŋ	
inclusion	ɪn′kluˈʒən, ɪŋ′kluˈʒən	
inclusions	ɪn′kluˈʒənz ɪŋ′kluˈʒənz	
inclusive	ɪn′kluˈsɪv, ɪŋ′kluˈsɪv	
inclusively	ɪn′kluˈsɪvlɪ ɪŋ′kluˈsɪvlɪ	
incognito	ɪn′kɒgnɪtoʊ	ɪn′kɑgn̩ɪto
incoherence	ɪnkoʊ′hɪərəns	ɪnkoʊ′hɪˈrəns
incoherent	ɪnkoʊ′hɪərənt	ɪnkoʊ′hɪˈrənt
incoherently	ɪnkoʊ′hɪərəntlɪ	ɪnkoʊ′hɪˈrəntlɪ
incombustible	ɪnkəm′bʌstəbl̩ ɪnkəm′bʌstɪbl̩	
income	′ɪnkʌm, ′ɪnkəm̩ ′ɪŋkəm	
incomes	′ɪnkʌmz, ′ɪnkəmz ′ɪŋkəmz	
incommensurable	ɪnkə′mɛnsjərəbl̩ ɪnkə′mɛnʃərəbl̩ ɪŋkə′mɛnʃərəbl̩	
incomparable	ɪn′kɒmpərəbl̩ ɪŋ′kɒmpərəbl̩	ɪn′kɑmpərəbl̩ ɪŋ′kɑmpərəbl̩
incomparably	ɪn′kɒmpərəblɪ ɪŋ′kɒmpərəblɪ	ɪn′kɑmpərəblɪ ɪŋ′kɑmpərəblɪ
incompatibility	ɪnkəmpætə′bɪlɪtɪ ɪnkəmpætɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
incompatible	ɪnkəm′pætəbl̩ ɪnkəm′pætɪbl̩	
incompetence	ɪn′kɒmpɪtəns ɪŋ′kɒmpɪtəns	ɪn′kɑmpɪtəns ɪŋ′kɑmpɪtəns
incompetent	ɪn′kɒmpɪtənt ɪŋ′kɒmpɪtənt	ɪn′kɑmpɪtənt ɪŋ′kɑmpɪtənt
incomplete	ɪnkəm′pliˈt	
incompletely	ɪnkəm′pliˈtlɪ	
incompleteness	ɪnkəm′pliˈtnɪs	
incomprehensible	ɪnkɒmprɪ′hɛnsəbl̩ ɪnkɒmprɪ′hɛnsɪbl̩	ɪnkɑmprɪ′hɛnsəbl̩ ɪnkɑmprɪ′hɛnsɪbl̩
inconceivable	ɪnkən′siˈvəbl̩	
inconclusive	ɪnkən′kluˈsɪv	
incongruity	ɪnkɒŋ′gruˈɪtɪ ɪŋkɒŋ′gruˈɪtɪ	ɪnkɑŋ′gruˈɪtɪ ɪŋkɑŋ′gruˈɪtɪ
incongruous	ɪn′kɒŋgrʊəs ɪŋ′kɒŋgrʊəs	ɪn′kɑŋgrʊəs ɪŋ′kɑŋgrʊəs
inconsiderable	ɪnkən′sɪdərəbl̩	
inconsiderate	ɪnkən′sɪdərɪt	

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inconsiderately	ɪnkən′sɪdərɪtlɪ	
inconsistency	ɪnkən′sɪstənsɪ	
inconsistencies	ɪnkən′sɪstənsɪz	
inconsistent	ɪnkən′sɪstənt	
inconsistently	ɪnkən′sɪstəntlɪ	
inconspicuous	ɪnkən′spɪkjʊəs	
inconspicuously	ɪnkən′spɪkjʊəslɪ	
incontestable	ɪnkən′tɛstəbḷ	
incontestably	ɪnkən′tɛstəblɪ	
inconvenience	ɪnkən′viːnjəns	
inconveniences	ɪnkən′viːnjənsɪz	
inconvenienced	ɪnkən′viːnjənst	
inconveniencing	ɪnkən′viːnjənsɪŋ	
inconvenient	ɪnkən′viːnjənt	
inconveniently	ɪnkən′viːnjəntlɪ	
incorporate	ɪn′kɔːpəreɪt	ɪn′kɔəpəreɪt
	ɪŋ′kɔːpəreɪt	ɪŋ′kɔəpəreɪt
incorporates	ɪn′kɔːpəreɪts	ɪn′kɔəpəreɪts
	ɪŋ′kɔːpəreɪts	ɪŋ′kɔəpəreɪts
incorporated	ɪn′kɔːpəreɪtɪd	ɪn′kɔəpəreɪtɪd
	ɪŋ′kɔːpəreɪtɪd	ɪŋ′kɔəpəreɪtɪd
incorporating	ɪn′kɔːpəreɪtɪŋ	ɪn′kɔəpəreɪtɪŋ
	ɪŋ′kɔːpəreɪtɪŋ	ɪŋ′kɔəpəreɪtɪŋ
incorporation	ɪnkɔpə′reɪʃən	ɪnkɔəpə′reɪʃən
	ɪŋkɔpə′reɪʃən	ɪŋkɔəpə′reɪʃənz
incorrect	ɪnkə′rɛkt	
incorrectly	ɪnkə′rɛktlɪ	
incorrectness	ɪnkə′rɛktnɪs	
incorrigible	ɪn′kɒrɪʤəbḷ	
	ɪn′kɒrɪʤɪbḷ	
incorrigibly	ɪn′kɒrɪʤəblɪ	
	ɪn′kɒrɪʤɪblɪ	
increase, *noun*	′ɪnkrɪs, ′ɪŋkrɪs	
increases	′ɪnkrɪsɪz, ′ɪŋkrɪsɪz	
increase, *verb*	ɪn′kriːs, ɪŋ′kriːs	
increases	ɪn′kriːsɪz, ɪŋ′kriːsɪz	
increased	ɪn′kriːst, ɪŋ′kriːst	
increasing	ɪn′kriːsɪŋ, ɪŋ′kriːsɪŋ	
incredibility	ɪnkrɛdɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪŋkrɛdɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
incredible	ɪn′krɛdəbḷ, ɪn′krɛdɪbḷ	
	ɪŋ′krɛdəbḷ, ɪŋ′krɛdɪbḷ	
incredibly	ɪn′krɛdəblɪ, ɪn′krɛdɪblɪ	
	ɪŋ′krɛdəblɪ, ɪŋ′krɛdɪblɪ	
incredulity	ɪnkrɪ′djuːlɪtɪ	
	ɪŋkrɪ′djuːlɪtɪ	

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incredulous	ɪn′krɛdjʊləs	
	ɪŋ′krɛdjʊləs	
incredulously	ɪn′krɛdjʊləslɪ	
	ɪŋ′krɛdjʊləslɪ	
incur	ɪn′kɜ·(r, ɪŋ′kɜ·(r	ɪn′kɜə, ɪŋ′kɜə
incurs	ɪn′kɜ·z, ɪŋ′kɜ·z	ɪn′kɜəz, ɪŋ′kɜəz
incurred	ɪn′kɜ·d, ɪŋ′kɜ·d	ɪn′kɜəd, ɪŋ′kɜəd
incurring	ɪn′kɜ·rɪŋ, ɪŋ′kɜ·rɪŋ	
incurable	ɪn′kjʊərəb̩l	ɪn′kjʊ·rəb̩l
indebted	ɪn′dɛtɪd	
indebtedness	ɪn′dɛtɪdnɪs	
indecency	ɪn′di·sənsɪ	
indecent	ɪn′di·sənt	
indecently	ɪn′di·səntlɪ	
indecision	ɪndɪ′sɪʒən	
indecisive	ɪndɪ′saɪsɪv	
indecisively	ɪndɪ′saɪsɪvlɪ	
indecisiveness	ɪndɪ′saɪsɪvnɪs	
indeed	ɪn′di·d	
indefatigable	ɪndɪ′fætɪgəb̩l	
indefatigably	ɪndɪ′fætɪgəblɪ	
indefinite	ɪn′dɛfɪnɪt	
indefinitely	ɪn′dɛfɪnɪtlɪ	
indefiniteness	ɪn′dɛfɪnɪtnɪs	
indemnity	ɪn′dɛmnɪtɪ	
indemnities	ɪn′dɛmnɪtɪz	
independence	ɪndɪ′pɛndəns	
independent	ɪndɪ′pɛndənt	
independently	ɪndɪ′pɛndəntlɪ	
indescribable	ɪndɪs′kraɪbəb̩l	
indescribably	ɪndɪs′kraɪbəblɪ	
indestructible	ɪndɪs′trʌktəb̩l	
	ɪndɪs′trʌktɪb̩l	
index	′ɪndɛks	
indexes	′ɪndɛksɪz	
indices	′ɪndɪsiz	
India	′ɪndjə	
Indian	′ɪndjən	
Indians	′ɪndjənz	
india-rubber	′ɪndjə′rʌbə(r	′ɪndjə′rʌbə
indicate	′ɪndɪkeɪt	
indicates	′ɪndɪkeɪts	
indicated	′ɪndɪkeɪtɪd	
indicating	′ɪndɪkeɪtɪŋ	
indication	ɪndɪ′keɪʃən	
indications	ɪndɪ′keɪʃənz	
indicative	ɪn′dɪkətɪv	

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indict	ɪn′daɪt	
indicts	ɪn′daɪts	
indicted	ɪn′daɪtɪd	
indicting	ɪn′daɪtɪŋ	
indictment	ɪn′daɪtmənt	
indictments	ɪn′daɪtmənts	
indifference	ɪn′dɪfərəns	
indifferent	ɪn′dɪfərənt	
indifferently	ɪn′dɪfərəntlɪ	
indigestible	ɪndɪ′ʤɛstəbl̩	
	ɪndɪ′ʤɛstɪbl̩	
indigestion	ɪndɪ′ʤɛstʃən	
indignant	ɪn′dɪgnənt	
indignantly	ɪn′dɪgnəntlɪ	
indignation	ɪndɪg′neɪʃən	
indignity	ɪn′dɪgnɪtɪ	
indignities	ɪn′dɪgnɪtɪz	
indigo	′ɪndɪgoʊ	
indirect	ɪndɪ′rɛkt, ɪndə′rɛkt	
	ɪndaɪ′rɛkt	
indirectly	ɪndɪ′rɛktlɪ, ɪndə′rɛktlɪ	
	ɪndaɪ′rɛktlɪ	
indirectness	ɪndɪ′rɛktnɪs	
	ɪndə′rɛktnɪs	
	ɪndaɪ′rɛktnɪs	
indiscreet	ɪndɪs′kriˑt	
indiscreetly	ɪndɪs′kriˑtlɪ	
indiscretion	ɪndɪs′krɛʃən	
indiscretions	ɪndɪs′krɛʃənz	
indiscriminate	ɪndɪs′krɪmɪnɪt	
indiscriminately	ɪndɪs′krɪmɪnɪtlɪ	
indispensability	′ɪndɪspɛnsə′bɪlɪtɪ	
indispensable	ɪndɪs′pɛnsəbl̩	
indisputable	ɪn′dɪspjʊtəbl̩	
indisputably	ɪn′dɪspjʊtəblɪ	
indistinct	ɪndɪs′tɪŋk̚t	
indistinctly	ɪndɪs′tɪŋk̚tlɪ	
indistinguishable	ɪndɪs′tɪŋgwɪʃəbl̩	
individual	ɪndɪ′vɪdjʊəl	
individuals	ɪndɪ′vɪdjʊəlz	
individually	ɪndɪ′vɪdjʊəlɪ	
individuality	′ɪndɪvɪdjʊ′ælɪtɪ	
individualities	′ɪndɪvɪdjʊ′ælɪtɪz	
indivisibility	′ɪndɪvɪzɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
	′ɪndɪvɪzə′bɪlɪtɪ	
indivisible	ɪndɪ′vɪzəbl̩	
	ɪndɪ′vɪzɪbl̩	

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indivisibly	ɪndɪ′vɪzəblɪ	
	ɪndɪ′vɪzɪblɪ	
indolence	′ɪndələns	
indolent	′ɪndələnt	
indomitable	ɪn′dɒmɪtəb|	ɪn′dɑmɪtəb|
indoor	′ɪndɔ·(r, ′ɪndɔə(r	′ɪndoə
indoors	′ɪn′dɔ·z, ′ɪn′dɔəz	′ɪn′doəz
induce	ɪn′dju·s	
induces	ɪn′dju·sɪz	
induced	ɪn′dju·st	
inducing	ɪn′dju·sɪŋ	
inducement	ɪn′dju·smənt	
inducements	ɪn′dju·smənts	
induction	ɪn′dʌkʃən	
inductive	ɪn′dʌktɪv	
inductively	ɪn′dʌktɪvlɪ	
indulge	ɪn′dʌlʤ	
indulges	ɪn′dʌlʤɪz	
indulged	ɪn′dʌlʤd	
indulging	ɪn′dʌlʤɪŋ	
indulgence	ɪn′dʌlʤəns	
indulgences	ɪn′dʌlʤənsɪz	
indulgent	ɪn′dʌlʤənt	
indulgently	ɪn′dʌlʤəntlɪ	
industrial	ɪn′dʌstrɪəl	
industrially	ɪn′dʌstrɪəlɪ	
industrious	ɪn′dʌstrɪəs	
industriously	ɪn′dʌstrɪəslɪ	
industry	′ɪndəstrɪ	
industries	′ɪndəstrɪz	
ineffective	ɪnɪ′fɛktɪv	
ineffectively	ɪnɪ′fɛktɪvlɪ	
ineffectual	ɪnɪ′fɛktjʊəl	
ineffectually	ɪnɪ′fɛktjʊəlɪ	
inefficacious	ɪnɛfɪ′keɪʃəs	
inefficacy	ɪ′nɛfɪkəsɪ	
inefficiency	ɪnɪ′fɪʃənsɪ	
inefficient	ɪnɪ′fɪʃənt	
inefficiently	ɪnɪ′fɪʃəntlɪ	
ineligibility	ɪnɛlɪʤə′bɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪnɛlɪʤɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
ineligible	ɪ′nɛlɪʤəb|, ɪ′nɛlɪʤɪb|	
inequality	ɪnɪ′kwɒlɪtɪ	ɪnɪ′kwɑlɪtɪ
inequalities	ɪnɪ′kwɒlɪtɪz	ɪnɪ′kwɑlɪtɪz
inert	ɪ′nə·t	ɪ′nəət
inertia	ɪ′nə·ʃɪə, ɪ′nə·ʃjə	ɪ′nəəʃɪə, ɪ′nəəʃjə
inestimable	ɪ′nɛstɪməb|	

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inevitability	ɪnɛvɪtə'bɪlɪtɪ	
inevitable	ɪ'nɛvɪtəbl̩	
inevitably	ɪ'nɛvɪtəblɪ	
inexact	ɪnɪg'zækt	
inexactness	ɪnɪg'zæktnɪs	
inexcusable	ɪnɪks'kjuˑzəbl̩	
inexhaustible	ɪnɪg'zɔˑstəbl̩	
	ɪnɪg'zɔˑstɪbl̩	
inexhaustibly	ɪnɪg'zɔˑstəblɪ	
	ɪnɪg'zɔˑstɪblɪ	
inexpediency	ɪnɪks'piˑdjənsɪ	
inexpedient	ɪnɪks'piˑdjənt	
inexpediently	ɪnɪks'piˑdjəntlɪ	
inexpensive	ɪnɪks'pɛnsɪv	
inexperience	ɪnɪks'pɪərɪəns	ɪnɪks'pɪˑrɪəns
infallibility	ɪnfælə'bɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪnfælɪ'bɪlɪtɪ	
infallible	ɪn'fæləbl̩, ɪn'fælɪbl̩	
infallibly	ɪn'fæləblɪ, ɪn'fælɪblɪ	
infamous	'ɪnfəməs	
infamously	'ɪnfəməslɪ	
infamy	'ɪnfəmɪ	
infancy	'ɪnfənsɪ	
infant	'ɪnfənt	
infants	'ɪnfənts	
infantry	'ɪnfəntrɪ	
infatuate	ɪn'fætjʊeɪt	
infatuates	ɪn'fætjʊeɪts	
infatuated	ɪn'fætjʊeɪtɪd	
infatuating	ɪn'fætjʊeɪtɪŋ	
infatuation	ɪnfætjʊ'eɪʃən	
infect	ɪn'fɛkt	
infects	ɪn'fɛkts	
infected	ɪn'fɛktɪd	
infecting	ɪn'fɛktɪŋ	
infection	ɪn'fɛkʃən	
infections	ɪn'fɛkʃənz	
infectious	ɪn'fɛkʃəs	
infer	ɪn'fəˑ(r	ɪn'fəə
infers	ɪn'fəˑz	ɪn'fəəz
inferred	ɪn'fəˑd	ɪn'fəəd
inferring	ɪn'fəˑrɪŋ	
inference	'ɪnfərəns	
inferences	'ɪnfərənsɪz	
inferior	ɪn'fɪərɪə(r	ɪn'fɪˑrɪə
inferiors	ɪn'fɪərɪəz	ɪn'fɪˑrɪəz
inferiority	ɪnfɪərɪ'ɒrɪtɪ	ɪnfɪˑrɪ'ɒrɪtɪ

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infidel	ˈɪnfɪdəl	
infidels	ˈɪnfɪdəlz	
infidelity	ɪnfɪˈdɛlɪtɪ	
infinite	ˈɪnfɪnɪt	
infinitely	ˈɪnfɪnɪtlɪ	
infinitive	ɪnˈfɪnɪtɪv	
infinitives	ɪnˈfɪnɪtɪvz	
infinity	ɪnˈfɪnɪtɪ	
infirm	ɪnˈfɜˑm	ɪnˈfɜəm
infirmly	ɪnˈfɜˑmlɪ	ɪnˈfɪmɜəlɪ
infirmity	ɪnˈfɜˑmɪtɪ	ɪnˈfɜəmɪtɪ
infirmities	ɪnˈfɜˑmɪtɪz	ɪnˈfɜəmɪtɪz
inflamation	ɪnfləˈmeɪʃən	
inflate	ɪnˈfleɪt	
inflates	ɪnˈfleɪts	
inflated	ɪnˈfleɪtɪd	
inflating	ɪnˈfleɪtɪŋ	
inflation	ɪnˈfleɪʃən	
inflect	ɪnˈflɛ̈kt	
inflects	ɪnˈflɛkts	
inflected	ɪnˈflɛktɪd	
inflecting	ɪnˈflɛktɪŋ	
inflection	ɪnˈflɛkʃən	
inflections	ɪnˈflɛkʃənz	
inflectional	ɪnˈflɛkʃənəl	
inflexible	ɪnˈflɛksəbl̩ ɪnˈflɛksɪbl̩	
inflexibly	ɪnˈflɛksəblɪ ɪnˈflɛksɪblɪ	
inflexion	ɪnˈflɛkʃən	
inflexions	ɪnˈflɛkʃənz	
inflexional	ɪnˈflɛkʃənəl	
inflict	ɪnˈflɪkt	
inflicts	ɪnˈflɪkts	
inflicted	ɪnˈflɪktɪd	
inflicting	ɪnˈflɪktɪŋ	
influence	ˈɪnfluəns	
influences	ˈɪnfluənsɪz	
influenced	ˈɪnfluənst	
influencing	ˈɪnfluənsɪŋ	
influential	ɪnfluˈɛnʃəl	
influentially	ɪnfluˈɛnʃəlɪ	
influenza	ɪnfluˈɛnzə	
inform	ɪnˈfɔˑm	ɪnˈfɔəm
informs	ɪnˈfɔˑmz	ɪnˈfɔəmz
informed	ɪnˈfɔˑmd	ɪnˈfɔəmd
informing	ɪnˈfɔˑmɪŋ	ɪnˈfɔəmɪŋ

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informer	ɪn′fɔ·mə(r	ɪn′fɔəmə
informers	ɪn′fɔ·məz	ɪn′fɔəməz
informal	ɪn′fɔ·məl	ɪn′fɔəməl
informally	ɪn′fɔ·məlɪ	ɪn′fɔəməlɪ
information	ɪnfə′meɪʃən	ɪnfə′meɪʃən
infringe	ɪn′frɪnʤ	
infringes	ɪn′frɪnʤɪz	
infringed	ɪn′frɪnʤd	
infringing	ɪn′frɪnʤɪŋ	
ingenious	ɪn′ʤi·njəs	
ingeniously	ɪn′ʤi·njəslɪ	
ingenuity	ɪnʤɪ′nju·ɪtɪ	
	ɪnʤə′nju·ɪtɪ	
ingrained	′ɪn′greɪnd	
ingratitude	ɪn′grætɪtjud	
ingredient	ɪn′gri·dɪənt	
ingredients	ɪn′gri·dɪənts	
inhabit	ɪn′hæbɪt	
inhabits	ɪn′hæbɪts	
inhabited	ɪn′hæbɪtɪd	
inhabiting	ɪn′hæbɪtɪŋ	
inhabitable	ɪn′hæbɪtəbḷ	
inhabitant	ɪn′hæbɪtənt	
inhabitants	ɪn′hæbɪtənts	
inhale	ɪn′heɪl	
inhales	ɪn′heɪlz	
inhaled	ɪn′heɪld	
inhaling	ɪn′heɪlɪŋ	
inherit	ɪn′hɛrɪt	
inherits	ɪn′hɛrɪts	
inherited	ɪn′hɛrɪtɪd	
inheriting	ɪn′hɛrɪtɪŋ	
inhospitable	ɪn′hɒspɪtəbḷ	ɪn′hɑspɪtəbḷ
inhospitably	ɪn′hɒspɪtəblɪ	ɪn′hɑspɪtəblɪ
inhuman	ɪn′hju·mən	
inhumane	ɪnhju′meɪn	
inhumanity	ɪnhju·mænɪtɪ	
iniquitous	ɪ′nɪkwɪtəs	
iniquitously	ɪ′nɪkwɪtəslɪ	
iniquity	ɪ′nɪkwɪtɪ	
iniquities	ɪ′nɪkwɪtɪz	
initial	ɪ′nɪʃəl	
initials	ɪ′nɪʃəlz	
initially	ɪ′nɪʃəlɪ	
initiate	ɪ′nɪʃɪeɪt	
initiates	ɪ′nɪʃɪeɪts	
initiated	ɪ′nɪʃɪeɪtɪd	

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initiating	ɪ'nɪʃɪeɪtɪŋ	
initiation	ɪnɪʃɪ'eɪʃən	
initiations	ɪnɪʃɪ'eɪʃənz	
initiative	ɪ'nɪʃɪətɪv, ɪ'nɪʃjətɪv	
inject	ɪn'ʤɛkt	
injects	ɪn'ʤɛkts	
injected	ɪn'ʤɛktɪd	
injecting	ɪn'ʤɛktɪŋ	
injection	ɪn'ʤɛkʃən	
injections	ɪn'ʤɛkʃənz	
injurious	ɪn'ʤʊərɪəs	
injuriously	ɪn'ʤʊərɪəslɪ	
injury	'ɪnʤərɪ	
injuries	'ɪnʤərɪz	
injustice	ɪn'ʤʌstɪs	
ink	ɪŋk	
inks	ɪŋks	
ink-bottle	'ɪŋkbɒtl̩	'ɪŋkbɑtl̩
ink-bottles	'ɪŋkbɒtl̩z	'ɪŋkbɑtl̩z
ink-pot	'ɪŋkpɒt	'ɪŋkpɑt
ink-pots	'ɪŋkpɒts	'ɪŋkpɑts
ink-stand	'ɪŋkstænd	
ink-stands	'ɪŋkstændz	
inland	'ɪnlənd, 'ɪnlænd	
inmost	'ɪnmoʊst, 'ɪnməst	
inn	ɪn	
inns	ɪnz	
inner	'ɪnə(r	'ɪnə
innermost	'ɪnəmoʊst, 'ɪnəməst	'ɪnəmoʊst, 'ɪnəməst
inn-keeper	'ɪnkiˈpə(r	'ɪnkiˈpə
inn-keepers	'ɪnkiˈpəz	'ɪnkiˈpəz
innocence	†'ɪnəsəns	
innocent	†'ɪnəsənt	
innocently	†'ɪnəsəntlɪ	
innovate	†'ɪnəveɪt	
innovates	†'ɪnəveɪts	
innovated	†'ɪnəveɪtɪd	
innovating	†'ɪnəveɪtɪŋ	
innovator	†'ɪnəveɪtə(r	'ɪnəveɪtə
innovators	†'ɪnəveɪtəz	'ɪnəveɪtəz
innovation	†ɪnə'veɪʃən	
innovations	†ɪnə'veɪʃənz	
innumerable	ɪ'njuˈmərəbl̩	
inoculate	ɪ'nɒkjʊleɪt	ɪ'nɑkjʊleɪt
inoculates	ɪ'nɒkjʊleɪts	ɪ'nɑkjʊleɪts

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inoculated	ɪ'nɒkjʊleɪtɪd	ɪ'nɑkjʊleɪtɪd
inoculating	ɪ'nɒkjʊleɪtɪŋ	ɪ'nɑkjʊleɪtɪŋ
inoculation	ɪnɒkjʊ'leɪʃən	ɪnɑkjʊ'leɪʃən
inoculations	ɪnɒkjʊ'leɪʃənz	ɪnɑkjʊ'leɪʃənz
inoffensive	ɪnə'fɛnsɪv	
inoffensively	ɪnə'fɛnsɪvlɪ	
inopportune	ɪ'nɒpətjun	ɪ'nɑpətjun
inorganic	ɪnɔ'gænɪk	ɪnɔə'gænɪk
inquest	'ɪnkwɛst, 'ɪŋkwɛst	
inquests	'ɪnkwɛsts	
	'ɪŋkwɛsts	
inquire	ɪn'kwaɪə(r	ɪn'kwaɪə
inquires	ɪn'kwaɪəz	ɪn'kwaɪəz
inquired	ɪn'kwaɪəd	ɪn'kwaɪəd
inquiring	ɪn'kwaɪərɪŋ	ɪn'kwaɪrɪŋ
inquirer	ɪn'kwaɪərə(r	ɪn'kwaɪrə
inquirers	ɪn'kwaɪərəz	ɪn'kwaɪrəz
inquiry	ɪn'kwaɪərɪ	ɪn'kwaɪrɪ
inquiries	ɪn'kwaɪərɪz	ɪn'kwaɪrɪz
inquisitive	ɪn'kwɪzɪtɪv	
	ɪn'kwɪzətɪv	
insane	ɪn'seɪn	
insanely	ɪn'seɪnlɪ	
insanity	ɪn'sænɪtɪ	
inscribe	ɪn'skraɪb	
inscribes	ɪn'skraɪbz	
inscribed	ɪn'skraɪbd	
inscribing	ɪn'skraɪbɪŋ	
inscription	ɪns'krɪpʃən	
inscriptions	ɪns'krɪpʃənz	
insect	'ɪnsɛkt	
insects	'ɪnsɛkts	
insecure	ɪnsɪ'kjʊə(r	ɪnsɪ'kjʊə
insecurely	ɪnsɪ'kjʊəlɪ	ɪnsɪ'kjʊəlɪ
insecurity	ɪnsɪ'kjʊərɪtɪ	ɪnsɪ'kjʊ·rɪtɪ
insensibility	ɪnsɛnsə'bɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪnsɛnsɪ'bɪlɪtɪ	
insensible	ɪn'sɛnsəbl̩	
	ɪn'sɛnsɪbl̩	
insensibly	ɪn'sɛnsəblɪ	
	ɪn'sɛnsɪblɪ	
inseparable	ɪn'sɛpərəbl	
inseparably	ɪn'sɛpərəblɪ	
insert	ɪn'sə·t	ɪn'sɜət
inserts	ɪn'sə·ts	ɪn'sɜəts
inserted	ɪn'sə·tɪd	ɪn'sɜətɪd
inserting	ɪn'sə·tɪŋ	ɪn'sɜətɪŋ

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insertion	ɪn'sɜ·ʃən	ɪn'sɜəʃən
insertions	ɪn'sɜ·ʃənz	ɪn'sɜəʃənz
inside	'ɪn'saɪd	
insides	'ɪn'saɪdz	
insight	'ɪnsaɪt	
insignificance	ɪnsɪg'nɪfɪkəns	
insignificant	ɪnsɪg'nɪfɪkənt	
insignificantly	ɪnsɪg'nɪfɪkəntlɪ	
insincere	ɪnsɪn'sɪə(r	ɪnsɪn'sɪə
insincerely	ɪnsɪn'sɪəlɪ	ɪnsɪn'sɪəlɪ
insincerity	ɪnsɪn'sɛrɪtɪ	
insinuate	ɪn'sɪnjʊeɪt	
insinuates	ɪn'sɪnjʊeɪts	
insinuated	ɪn'sɪnjʊeɪtɪd	
insinuating	ɪn'sɪnjʊeɪtɪŋ	
insinuation	ɪnsɪnju'eɪʃən	
insinuations	ɪnsɪnju'eɪʃənz	
insipid	ɪn'sɪpɪd	
insist	ɪn'sɪst	
insists	ɪn'sɪsts	
insisted	ɪn'sɪstɪd	
insisting	ɪn'sɪstɪŋ	
insistence	ɪn'sɪstəns	
insistent	ɪn'sɪstənt	
insistently	ɪn'sɪstəntlɪ	
insolence	†'ɪnsələns	
insolent	†'ɪnsələnt	
insolently	†'ɪnsələntlɪ	
insoluble	ɪn'sɒljʊbḷ	ɪn'sɑljʊbḷ
insomnia	ɪn'sɒmnɪə	ɪn'sɑmnɪə
inspect	ɪn'spɛkt	
inspects	ɪn'spɛkts	
inspected	ɪn'spɛktɪd	
inspecting	ɪn'spɛktɪŋ	
inspector	ɪn'spɛktə(r	ɪn'spɛktə
inspectors	ɪn'spɛktəz	ɪn'spɛktəz
inspection	ɪn'spɛkʃən	
inspections	ɪn'spɛkʃənz	
inspiration	ɪnspə'reɪʃən ɪnspɪ'reɪʃən	
inspirations	ɪnspə'reɪʃənz ɪnspɪ'reɪʃənz	
inspire	ɪn'spaɪə(r	ɪn'spaɪə
inspires	ɪn'spaɪəz	ɪn'spaɪəz
inspired	ɪn'spaɪəd	ɪn'spaɪəd

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inspiring	ɪn'spaɪərɪŋ	ɪn'spaɪrɪŋ
instability	ɪnstə'bɪlɪtɪ	
install	ɪn'stɔ·l	
installs	ɪn'stɔ·lz	
installed	ɪn'stɔ·ld	
installing	ɪn'stɔ·lɪŋ	
installation	†ɪnstə'leɪʃən	
installations	†ɪnstə'leɪʃənz	
installment (*Amer.*)		
instalment	ɪn'stɔ·lmənt	
installments (*Amer.*)		
instalments	ɪn'stɔ·lmənts	
instance	'ɪnstəns	
instances	'ɪnstənsɪz	
instant	'ɪnstənt	
instants	'ɪnstənts	
instantly	'ɪnstəntlɪ	
instantaneous	ɪnstən'teɪnjəs	
instantaneously	ɪnstən'teɪnjəslɪ	
instead	ɪns'tɛd	
instigate	'ɪnstɪgeɪt	
instigates	'ɪnstɪgeɪts	
instigated	'ɪnstɪgeɪtɪd	
instigating	'ɪnstɪgeɪtɪŋ	
instigation	ɪnstɪ'geɪʃən	
instinct	'ɪnstɪŋk̚t	
instincts	'ɪnstɪŋk̚ts	
instinctive	ɪns'tɪŋk̚tɪv	
instinctively	ɪns'tɪŋk̚tɪvlɪ	
institute	'ɪnstɪtjut	
institutes	'ɪnstɪtjuts	
instituted	'ɪnstɪtjutɪd	
instituting	'ɪnstɪtjutɪŋ	
institution	ɪnstɪ'tju·ʃən	
institutions	ɪnstɪ'tju·ʃənz	
instruct	ɪns'trʌkt	
instructs	ɪns'trʌkts	
instructed	ɪns'trʌktɪd	
instructing	ɪns'trʌktɪŋ	
instructor	ɪns'trʌktə(r	ɪns'trʌktə
instructors	ɪns'trʌktəz	ɪns'trʌktəz
instruction	ɪns'trʌkʃən	
instructions	ɪns'trʌkʃənz	
instructive	ɪns'trʌktɪv	
instructively	ɪns'trʌktɪvlɪ	

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instrument	ˈɪnstrʊmənt	
	ˈɪnstrəmənt	
instruments	ˈɪnstrʊmənts	
	ˈɪnstrəmənts	
instrumental	ɪnstrʊˈmɛntl̩	
	ɪnstrəˈmɛntl̩	
insubordination	ˈɪnsəbɔdɪˈneɪʃən	ˈɪnsəbɔ̈ədɪˈneɪʃən
insufficient	ɪnsəˈfɪʃənt	
insufficiently	ɪnsəˈfɪʃəntlɪ	
insult, *noun*	ˈɪnsʌlt	
insults	ˈɪnsʌlts	
insult, *verb*	ɪnˈsʌlt	
insults	ɪnˈsʌlts	
insulted	ɪnˈsʌltɪd	
insulting	ɪnˈsʌltɪŋ	
insuperable	ɪnˈsjuːpərəbl̩	
	ɪnˈsuːpərəbl̩	
insupportable	ɪnsəˈpɔːtəbl̩	ɪnsəˈpɔ̈ətəbl̩
insure	ɪnˈʃʊə(r, ɪnˈʃɔə(r	ɪnˈʃʊə
insures	ɪnˈʃʊəz, ɪnˈʃɔəz	ɪnˈʃʊəz
insured	ɪnˈʃʊəd, ɪnˈʃɔəd	ɪnˈʃʊəd
insuring	ɪnˈʃʊərɪŋ, ɪnˈʃɔərɪŋ	ɪnˈʃʊːrɪŋ
insurance	ɪnˈʃʊərəns, ɪnˈʃɔːrəns	ɪnˈʃʊːrəns
insusceptibility	ˈɪnsəsɛptəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
	ˈɪnsəsɛptɪˈbɪlɪtɪ	
insusceptible	ɪnsəˈsɛptəbl̩	
	ɪnsəˈsɛptɪbl̩	
intact	ɪnˈtækt	
integral	ˈɪntɪgrəl	
integrity	ɪnˈtɛgrɪtɪ	
intellect	ˈɪntɪlɛkt	
intellects	ˈɪntɪlɛkts	
intellectual	ɪntɪˈlɛktjʊəl	
	ɪntɪˈlɛktʃʊəl	
intellectually	ɪntɪˈlɛktjʊəlɪ	
	ɪntɪˈlɛktʃʊəlɪ	
intelligence	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤəns	
intelligences	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤənsɪz	
intelligent	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤənt	
intelligently	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤəntlɪ	
intelligibility	ɪntɛlɪʤəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪntɛlɪʤɪˈbɪlɪtɪ	
intelligible	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤəbl̩	
	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤɪbl̩	
intelligibly	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤəblɪ	
	ɪnˈtɛlɪʤɪblɪ	
intemperance	ɪnˈtɛmpərəns	

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intemperate	ɪn'tɛmpərɪt	
intemperately	ɪn'tɛmpərɪtlɪ	
intend	ɪn'tɛnd	
intends	ɪn'tɛndz	
intended	ɪn'tɛndɪd	
intending	ɪn'tɛndɪŋ	
intense	ɪn'tɛns	
intensely	ɪn'tɛnslɪ	
intensify	ɪn'tɛnsɪfaɪ	
intensifies	ɪn'tɛnsɪfaɪz	
intensified	ɪn'tɛnsɪfaɪd	
intensifying	ɪn'tɛnsɪfaɪɪŋ	
intensity	ɪn'tɛnsɪtɪ	
intensive	ɪn'tɛnsɪv	
intensively	ɪn'tɛnsɪvlɪ	
intent	ɪn'tɛnt	
intention	ɪn'tɛnʃən	
intentions	ɪn'tɛnʃənz	
intentional	ɪn'tɛnʃən|	
intentionally	ɪn'tɛnʃən|ɪ	
inter-, *prefix*	ɪntə(r, 'ɪntə(r	ɪntə, 'ɪntə
intercept	ɪntə'sɛpt	ɪntə'sɛpt
intercepts	ɪntə'sɛpts	ɪntə'sɛpts
intercepted	ɪntə'sɛptɪd	ɪntə'sɛptɪd
intercepting	ɪntə'sɛptɪŋ	ɪntə'sɛptɪŋ
intercourse	'ɪntəkɔ·s, 'ɪntəkɔəs	'ɪntəkoəs, 'ɪntəəkoəs
interest	'ɪntrɪst, 'ɪntərəst	
interests	'ɪntrɪsts, 'ɪntərəsts	
interested	'ɪntrɪstɪd 'ɪntərəstɪd	
interesting	'ɪntrɪstɪŋ 'ɪntərəstɪŋ	
interfere	ɪntə'fɪə(r	ɪntə'fɪə
interferes	ɪntə'fɪəz	ɪntə'fɪəz
interfered	ɪntə'fɪəd	ɪntə'fɪəd
interfering	ɪntə'fɪərɪŋ	ɪntə'fɪ·rɪŋ
interference	ɪntə'fɪərəns	ɪntə'fɪ·rəns
interferences	ɪntə'fɪərənsɪz	ɪntə'fɪ·rənsɪz
interior	ɪn'tɪərɪə(r	ɪn'tɪ·rɪə
interjection	ɪntə'ʤɛkʃən	ɪntə'ʤɛkʃən
interjections	ɪntə'ʤɛkʃənz	ɪntə'ʤɛkʃənz
intermediary	ɪntə'mi·dɪərɪ	ɪntə'mi·dɪɛrɪ
intermediate	ɪntə'mi·djərɪ ɪntə'mi·dɪt ɪntə'mi·djət	ɪntə'mi·dɪt ɪntə'mi·djət
intermission	ɪntə'mɪʃən	ɪntə'mɪʃən
internal	ɪn'tə·nəl	ɪn'təənəl

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internally	ɪn′tɜ·nəlɪ	ɪn′tɜənəlɪ
international	ɪntə′næʃn̩l	ɪntə′næʃn̩l
internationally	ɪntə′næʃn̩əlɪ	ɪntə′næʃn̩əlɪ
internationalism	ɪntə′næʃn̩əlɪzm̩	ɪntə′næʃn̩əlɪzm̩
interpret	ɪn′tɜ·prɪt	ɪn′tɜəprɪt
interprets	ɪn′tɜ·prɪts	ɪn′tɜəprɪts
interpreted	ɪn′tɜ·prɪtɪd	ɪn′tɜəprɪtɪd
interpreting	ɪn′tɜ·prɪtɪŋ	ɪn′tɜəprɪtɪŋ
interpreter	ɪn′tɜ·prɪtə(r	ɪn′tɜəprɪtə
interpreters	ɪn′tɜ·prɪtəz	ɪn′tɜəprɪtəz
interpretation	ɪntəprɪ′teɪʃən	ɪntəprɪ′teɪʃən
interpretations	ɪntəprɪ′teɪʃənz	ɪntəprɪ′teɪʃənz
interrogation	ɪntɛrə′geɪʃən	
interrogative	ɪntə′rɒgətɪv	ɪntə′rɑgətɪv
interrogatives	ɪntə′rɒgətɪvz	ɪntə′rɑgətɪvz
interrogatively	ɪntə′rɒgətɪvlɪ	ɪntə′rɑgətɪvlɪ
interrupt	ɪntə′rʌpt	
interrupts	ɪntə′rʌpts	
interrupted	ɪntə′rʌptɪd	
interrupting	ɪntə′rʌptɪŋ	
interruption	ɪntə′rʌpʃən	
interruptions	ɪntə′rʌpʃənz	
interval	′ɪntəvəl	′ɪntəvəl
intervals	′ɪntəvəlz	′ɪntəvəlz
intervene	ɪntə′vi·n	ɪntə′vi·n
intervenes	ɪntə′vi·nz	ɪntə′vi·nz
intervened	ɪntə′vi·nd	ɪntə′vi·nd
intervening	ɪntə′vi·nɪŋ	ɪntə′vi·nɪŋ
interview	′ɪntəvju	′ɪntəvju
interviews	′ɪntəvjuz	′ɪntəvjuz
interviewed	′ɪntəvjud	′ɪntəvjud
interviewing	′ɪntəvjuɪŋ	′ɪntəvjuɪŋ
interviewer	′ɪntəvjuə(r	′ɪntəvjuə
interviewers	′ɪntəvjuəz	′ɪntəvjuəz
intimacy	′ɪntɪməsɪ	
intimate, *adj.*	′ɪntɪmɪt	
intimate	′ɪntɪmeɪt	
intimates	′ɪntɪmeɪts	
intimated	′ɪntɪmeɪtɪd	
intimating	′ɪntɪmeɪtɪŋ	
intimately	′ɪntɪmɪtlɪ	
intimation	ɪntɪ′meɪʃən	
intimidate	ɪn′tɪmɪdeɪt	
intimidates	ɪn′tɪmɪdeɪts	
intimidated	ɪn′tɪmɪdeɪtɪd	
intimidating	ɪn′tɪmɪdeɪtɪŋ	
intimidation	ɪntɪmɪ′deɪʃən	

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into	ˈɪntu *s.f.*	
	ɪntə, ɪntʊ *w.fs.*	
intolerable	ɪnˈtɒlərəbḷ	ɪnˈtɑlərəbḷ
intolerably	ɪnˈtɒlərəblɪ	ɪnˈtɑlərəblɪ
intolerance	ɪnˈtɒlərəns	ɪnˈtɑlərəns
intolerant	ɪnˈtɒlərənt	ɪnˈtɑlərənt
intolerantly	ɪnˈtɒlərəntlɪ	ɪnˈtɑlərəntlɪ
intonation	ɪntoʊˈneɪʃən	
	ɪntəˈneɪʃən	
intonations	ɪntoʊˈneɪʃənz	
	ɪntəˈneɪʃənz	
intone	ɪnˈtoʊn	
intones	ɪnˈtoʊnz	
intoned	ɪnˈtoʊnd	
intoning	ɪnˈtoʊnɪŋ	
intoxicant	ɪnˈtɒksɪkənt	ɪnˈtɑksɪkənt
intoxicants	ɪnˈtɒksɪkənts	ɪnˈtɑksɪkənts
intoxicate	ɪnˈtɒksɪkeɪt	ɪnˈtɑksɪkeɪt
intoxicates	ɪnˈtɒksɪkeɪts	ɪnˈtɑksɪkeɪts
intoxicated	ɪnˈtɒksɪkeɪtɪd	ɪnˈtɑksɪkeɪtɪd
intoxicating	ɪnˈtɒksɪkeɪtɪŋ	ɪnˈtɑksɪkeɪtɪŋ
intoxication	ɪntɒksɪˈkeɪʃən	ɪntɑksɪˈkeɪʃən
intransitive	ɪnˈtrɑˑnsɪtɪv	ɪnˈtraˑnsɪtɪv
	ɪnˈtrænsɪtɪv	
intransitively	ɪnˈtrɑˑnsɪtɪvlɪ	ɪnˈtraˑnsɪtɪvlɪ
	ɪnˈtrænsɪtɪvlɪ	
intricacy	ˈɪntrɪkəsɪ	
intricacies	ˈɪntrɪkəsɪz	
intricate	ˈɪntrɪkɪt	
intricately	ˈɪntrɪkɪtlɪ	
introduce	ɪntrəˈdjuˑs	
introduces	ɪntrəˈdjuˑsɪz	
introduced	ɪntrəˈdjuˑst	
introducing	ɪntrəˈdjuˑsɪŋ	
introduction	ɪntrəˈdʌkʃən	
introductions	ɪntrəˈdʌkʃənz	
intrude	ɪnˈtruˑd	
intrudes	ɪnˈtruˑdz	
intruded	ɪnˈtruˑdɪd	
intruding	ɪnˈtruˑdɪŋ	
intruder	ɪnˈtruˑdə(r	ɪnˈtruˑdə
intruders	ɪnˈtruˑdəz	ɪnˈtruˑdəz
intrusion	ɪnˈtruˑʒən	
intrusions	ɪnˈtruˑʒənz	
intuition	ɪntjuˈɪʃən	
invade	ɪnˈveɪd	
invades	ɪnˈveɪdz	

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invaded	ɪn′veɪdɪd	
invading	ɪn′veɪdɪŋ	
invader	ɪn′veɪdə(r	ɪn′veɪdə
invaders	ɪn′veɪdəz	ɪn′veɪdəz
invalid, *noun*	′ɪnvəlɪd	′ɪnvəlɪd
invalid, *adj.*	ɪn′vælɪd	
invalidate	ɪn′vælɪdeɪt	
invalidates	ɪn′vælɪdeɪts	
invalidated	ɪn′vælɪdeɪtɪd	
invalidating	ɪn′vælɪdeɪtɪŋ	
invaluable	ɪn′vælju͡əb|	
invariability	ɪnvɛərɪə′bɪlɪtɪ	ɪnvɛ·rɪə′bɪlɪtɪ
invariable	ɪn′vɛərɪəb|	ɪn′vɛ·rɪəb|
invariably	ɪn′vɛərɪəblɪ	ɪn′vɛ·rɪəblɪ
invasion	ɪn′veɪʒən	
invasions	ɪn′veɪʒənz	
invent	ɪn′vɛnt	
invents	ɪn′vɛnts	
invented	ɪn′vɛntɪd	
inventing	ɪn′vɛntɪŋ	
inventor	ɪn′vɛntə(r	ɪn′vɛntə
inventors	ɪn′vɛntəz	ɪn′vɛntəz
invention	ɪn′vɛnʃən	
inventions	ɪn′vɛn̩ʃənz	
inventive	ɪn′vɛntɪv	
inventory	′ɪnvəntrɪ	′ɪnvəntorɪ
inventories	′ɪnvəntrɪz	′ɪnvəntorɪz
inverse	′ɪn′vɜ·s	′ɪn′vəəs
inversely	′ɪn′vɜ·slɪ	′ɪn′vəəslɪ
inversion	ɪn′vɜ·ʃən	ɪn′vəəʃən
inversions	ɪn′vɜ·ʃənz	ɪn′vəəʃənz
invert	ɪn′vɜ·t	ɪn′vəət
inverts	ɪn′vɜ·ts	ɪn′vəəts
inverted	ɪn′vɜ·tɪd	ɪn′vəətɪd
inverting	ɪn′vɜ·tɪŋ	ɪn′vəətɪŋ
invest	ɪn′vɛst	
invests	ɪn′vɛsts	
invested	ɪn′vɛstɪd	
investing	ɪn′vɛstɪŋ	
investor	ɪn′vɛstə(r	ɪn′vɛstə
investors	ɪn′vɛstəz	ɪn′vɛstəz
investigate	ɪn′vɛstɪgeɪt	
investigates	ɪn′vɛstɪgeɪts	
investigated	ɪn′vɛstɪgeɪtɪd	
investigating	ɪn′vɛstɪgeɪtɪŋ	
investigation	ɪnvɛstɪ′geɪʃən	
investigations	ɪnvɛstɪ′geɪʃənz	

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investment	ɪn′vɛstmənt	
investments	ɪn′vɛstmənts	
invigorate	ɪn′vɪgəreɪt	
invigorates	ɪn′vɪgəreɪts	
invigorated	ɪn′vɪgəreɪtɪd	
invigorating	ɪn′vɪgəreɪtɪŋ	
invincible	ɪn′vɪnsəbḷ, ɪn′vɪnsɪbḷ	
invisibility	ɪnvɪzə′bɪlɪtɪ	
	ɪnvɪzɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
invisible	ɪn′vɪzəbḷ, ɪn′vɪzɪbḷ	
invisibly	ɪn′vɪzəblɪ, ɪn′vɪzɪblɪ	
invitation	ɪnvɪ′teɪʃən	
invitations	ɪnvɪ′teɪʃənz	
invite	ɪn′vaɪt	
invites	ɪn′vaɪts	
invited	ɪn′vaɪtɪd	
inviting	ɪn′vaɪtɪŋ	
invitingly	ɪn′vaɪtɪŋlɪ	
invoice	′ɪnvɔɪs	
invoices	′ɪnvɔɪsɪz	
involuntary	ɪn′vɒləntərɪ	ɪn′vɑləntɛrɪ
involuntarily	ɪn′vɒləntərɪlɪ	ɪn′vɑləntɛrɪlɪ
involve	ɪn′vɒlv	ɪn′vɑlv
involves	ɪn′vɒlvz	ɪn′vɑlvz
involved	ɪn′vɒlvd	ɪn′vɑlvd
involving	ɪn′vɒlvɪŋ	ɪn′vɑlvɪŋ
inward	′ɪnwəd	′ɪnwəd
inwards	′ɪnwədz	′ɪnwədz
inwardly	′ɪnwədlɪ	′ɪnwədlɪ
iodine	′aɪədaɪn, ′aɪədin	
Ireland	′aɪələnd	′aɪələnd
Irish	′aɪərɪʃ	′aɪrɪʃ
Irishman	′aɪərɪʃmən	′aɪrɪʃmən
Irishmen	′aɪərɪʃmən	′aɪrɪʃmən
irksome	′ɜ·ksəm	′ɜəksəm
iron	′aɪən	′aɪən
irons	′aɪənz	′aɪənz
ironed	′aɪənd	′aɪənd
ironing	′aɪənɪŋ	′aɪənɪŋ
ironical	aɪə′rɒnɪkəl	aɪ′rɑnɪkəl
ironically	aɪə′rɒnɪkəlɪ	aɪ′rɑnɪkəlɪ
irony, *noun*	′aɪərənɪ	′aɪrənɪ
irony, *adj.* (=ironlike)	′aɪənɪ	′aɪənɪ
irrational	ɪ′ræʃənḷ	
irrationally	ɪ′ræʃənəlɪ	
irreconcilable	ɪ′rɛkənsaɪləbḷ	

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irrefutable	ɪ'rɛfjʊtəb̩	
irrefutably	ɪ'rɛfjʊtəblɪ	
irregular	ɪ'rɛgjʊlə(r	ɪ'rɛgjʊlə
irregularly	ɪ'rɛgjʊləlɪ	ɪ'rɛgjʊləlɪ
irregularity	ɪrɛgjʊ'lærɪtɪ	
irregularities	ɪrɛgjʊ'lærɪtɪz	
irrelevance	ɪ'rɛlɪvəns	
irrelevant	ɪ'rɛlɪvənt	
irrelevantly	ɪ'rɛlɪvəntlɪ	
irreligious	ɪrɪ'lɪʤəs	
irreparable	ɪ'rɛpərəb̩	
irreparably	ɪ'rɛpərəblɪ	
irresistible	ɪrɪ'zɪstəb̩	
	ɪrɪ'zɪstɪb̩	
irresistibly	ɪrɪ'zɪstəblɪ	
	ɪrɪ'zɪstɪblɪ	
irrespective	ɪrɪs'pɛktɪv	
irresponsibility	ɪrɪspɒnsə'bɪlɪtɪ	ɪrɪspɑnsə'bɪlɪtɪ
	ɪrɪspɒnsɪ'bɪlɪtɪ	ɪrɪspɑnsɪ'bɪlɪtɪ
irresponsible	ɪrɪs'pɒnsəb̩	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪb̩
	ɪrɪs'pɒnsɪb̩	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪb̩
irresponsibly	ɪrɪs'pɒnsəblɪ	ɪrɪs'pɑnsəblɪ
	ɪrɪs'pɒnsɪblɪ	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪblɪ
irresponsive	ɪrɪs'pɒnsɪv	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪv
irresponsively	ɪrɪs'pɒnsɪvlɪ	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪvlɪ
irresponsiveness	ɪrɪs'pɒnsɪvnɪs	ɪrɪs'pɑnsɪvnɪs
irreverence	ɪ'rɛvərəns	
irreverent	ɪ'rɛvərənt	
irreverently	ɪ'rɛvərəntlɪ	
irrevocable	ɪ'rɛvəkəb̩	
irrevocably	ɪ'rɛvəkəblɪ	
irrigate	'ɪrɪgeɪt	
irrigates	'ɪrɪgeɪts	
irrigated	'ɪrɪgeɪtɪd	
irrigating	'ɪrɪgeɪtɪŋ	
irrigation	ɪrɪ'geɪʃən	
irritable	'ɪrɪtəb̩	
irritably	'ɪrɪtəblɪ	
irritate	'ɪrɪteɪt	
irritates	'ɪrɪteɪts	
irritated	'ɪrɪteɪtɪd	
irritating	'ɪrɪteɪtɪŋ	
irritation	ɪrɪ'teɪʃən	
is *from* be	ɪz *s.f.*, ɪz, z, s *w.fs.*	
island	'aɪlənd	
islands	'aɪləndz	
isle	aɪl	

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isles	aɪlz	
ISN'T *from* be	'ɪzn̩t	
isolate	'aɪsəleɪt, 'aɪsouleɪt	'ɪsəleɪt, 'ɪsouleɪt
isolates	'aɪsəleɪts, 'aɪsouleɪts	'ɪsəleɪts, 'ɪsouleɪts
isolated	'aɪsəleɪtɪd	'ɪsəleɪtɪd
	'aɪsouleɪtɪd	'ɪsouleɪtɪd
isolating	'aɪsəleɪtɪŋ	'ɪsəleɪtɪŋ
	'aɪsouleɪtɪŋ	'ɪsouleɪtɪŋ
isolation	aɪsə'leɪʃən, aɪsou'leɪʃən	ɪsə'leɪʃən, ɪsou'leɪʃən
issue	'ɪsju, 'ɪʃju	
issues	'ɪsjuz, 'ɪʃjuz	
issued	'ɪsjud, 'ɪʃjud	
issuing	'ɪsjʊɪŋ, 'ɪʃjʊɪŋ	
Italian	ɪ'tæljən	
Italians	ɪ'tæljənz	
italic	ɪ'tælɪk	
italics	ɪ'tælɪks	
Italy	'ɪtəlɪ	
itch	ɪtʃ	
itches	'ɪtʃɪz	
itched	'ɪtʃt	
itching	'ɪtʃɪŋ	
item	'aɪtəm	
items	'aɪtəmz	
its	ɪts *s.f.*, ɪts *w.f.*	
itself	ɪt'sɛlf	
ivory	'aɪvərɪ	
ivy	'aɪvɪ	

J

J	ʤeɪ	
J's	ʤeɪz	
jacket	'ʤækɪt	
jackets	'ʤækɪts	
Jacob	'ʤeɪkəb	
jail	ʤeɪl	
jails	ʤeɪlz	
am, *noun*	ʤæˈm	
jams	ʤæˈmz	
am, *verb*	ʤæm	
jams	ʤæmz	
jammed	ʤæmd	
jamming	'ʤæmɪŋ	
James	ʤeɪmɪz	

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Jane	ʤeɪn	
janitor	ˈʤænɪtə(r	ˈʤænɪtə
janitors	ˈʤænɪtəz	ˈʤænɪtəz
January	ˈʤænjʊərɪ	ˈʤænjʊɛrɪ
Japan	ʤəˈpæn	
Japanese	ʤæpəˈniːz	ʤæpəˈniːs
jar	ʤɑː(r	ʤɑə
jars	ʤɑːz	ʤɑəz
Java	ˈʤɑːvə	
jaw	ʤɔː	
jaws	ʤɔːz	
jealous	ˈʤɛləs	
jealously	ˈʤɛləslɪ	
jealousy	ˈʤɛləsɪ	
jealousies	ˈʤɛləsɪz	
jelly	ˈʤɛlɪ	
jellies	ˈʤɛlɪz	
jerk	ʤəːk	ʤɜək
jerks	ʤəːks	ʤɜəks
jerked	ʤəːkt	ʤɜəkt
jerking	ˈʤəːkɪŋ	ˈʤɜəkɪŋ
Jew	ʤuː	
Jews	ʤuːz	
jewel	ʤuɪl, ʤuəl	
jewels	ʤuɪlz, ʤuəlz	
jeweller	ˈʤuɪlə(r, ˈʤuələ(r	ˈʤuɪlə, ˈʤuələ
jewellers	ˈʤuɪləz, ˈʤuələz	ˈʤuɪləz, ˈʤuələz
jewellery	ˈʤuɪlrɪ, ˈʤuəlrɪ	
Jewish	ˈʤuɪʃ	
job	ʤɒb	ʤɑb
jobs	ʤɒbz	ʤɑbz
jocular	ˈʤɒkjʊlə(r	ˈʤɑkjʊlə
jog	ʤɒg	ʤɑg
jogs	ʤɒgz	ʤɑgz
jogged	ʤɒgd	ʤɑgd
jogging	ˈʤɒgɪŋ	ˈʤɑgɪŋ
John	ʤɒn	ʤɑn
join	ʤɔɪn	
joins	ʤɔɪnz	
joined	ʤɔɪnd	
joining	ˈʤɔɪnɪŋ	
joint	ʤɔɪnt	
joints	ʤɔɪnts	
jointly	ˈʤɔɪntlɪ	
joke	ʤoʊk	
jokes	ʤoʊks	
joked	ʤoʊkt	

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joking	ˈʤoʊkɪŋ	
jokingly	ˈʤoʊkɪŋlɪ	
jolly	ˈʤɒlɪ	ˈʤɑlɪ
jollier	ˈʤɒlɪə(r	ˈʤɑlɪə
jolliest	ˈʤɒlɪɪst	ˈʤɑlɪɪst
jolt	ʤoʊlt	
jolts	ʤoʊlts	
jolted	ˈʤoʊltɪd	
jolting	ˈʤoʊltɪŋ	
Joseph	ˈʤoʊzɪf	
jot	ʤɒt	ʤɑt
jots	ʤɒts	ʤɑts
jotted	ˈʤɒtɪd	ˈʤɑtɪd
jotting	ˈʤɒtɪŋ	ˈʤɑtɪŋ
journal	ˈʤɜˑnl̩	ˈʤɜənl̩
journals	ˈʤɜˑnl̩z	ˈʤɜənl̩z
journalism	ˈʤɜˑnəlɪzm̩	ˈʤɜənəlɪzm̩
journalist	ˈʤɜˑnəlɪst	ˈʤɜənəlɪst
journalists	ˈʤɜˑnəlɪsts	ˈʤɜənəlɪsts
journalistic	ʤɜnəˈlɪstɪk	ʤɜənəˈlɪstɪk
journey	ˈʤɜˑnɪ	ˈʤɜənɪ
journeys	ˈʤɜˑnɪz	ˈʤɜənɪz
jovial	ˈʤoʊvjəl, ˈʤoʊvɪəl	
jovially	ˈʤoʊvjəlɪ, ˈʤoʊvɪəlɪ	
joviality	ʤoʊvɪˈælɪtɪ	
joy	ʤɔɪ	
joys	ʤɔɪz	
joyful	ˈʤɔɪfʊl	
joyfully	ˈʤɔɪfʊlɪ, ˈʤɔɪfəlɪ	
judge	ʤʌʤ	
judges	ˈʤʌʤɪz	
judged	ʤʌʤd	
judging	ˈʤʌʤɪŋ	
judg(e)ment	ˈʤʌʤmənt	
judg(e)ments	ˈʤʌʤmənts	
judicial	ʤuˈdɪʃəl	
judicious	ʤuˈdɪʃəs	
judiciously	ʤuˈdɪʃəslɪ	
jug	ʤʌg	
jugs	ʤʌgs	
juggle	ˈʤʌgl̩	
juggles	ˈʤʌgl̩z	
juggled	ˈʤʌgl̩d	
juggling	ˈʤʌglɪŋ	
juggler	ˈʤʌglə(r	ˈʤʌglə
jugglers	ˈʤʌgləz	ˈʤʌgləz
juice	ʤuˑs	

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juices	ˈʤuˑsɪz	
juicy	ˈʤuˑsɪ	
July	ʤuˈlaɪ	
jumble	ˈʤʌmbl̩	
jumbles	ˈʤʌmbl̩z	
jumbled	ˈʤʌmbl̩d	
jumbling	ˈʤʌmblɪŋ	
jump	ʤʌmp	
jumps	ʤʌmps	
jumped	ʤʌmpt	
jumping	ˈʤʌmpɪŋ	
junction	ˈʤʌŋkʃən	
junctions	ˈʤʌŋkʃənz	
juncture	ˈʤʌŋkʧə(r	ˈʤʌŋkʧə
junctures	ˈʤʌŋkʧəz	ˈʤʌŋkʧəz
June	ʤuˑn	
jungle	ˈʤʌŋgl̩	
jungles	ˈʤʌŋgl̩z	
junior	ˈʤuˑnjə(r	ˈʤuˑnjə
juniors	ˈʤuˑnjəz	ˈʤuˑnjəz
jury	ˈʤʊərɪ	ˈʤʊˑrɪ
juries	ˈʤʊərɪz	ˈʤʊˑrɪz
just	ʤʌst	
justly	ˈʤʌstlɪ	
justness	ˈʤʌstnɪs	
justice	ˈʤʌstɪs	
justifiable	ˈʤʌstɪfaɪəbl̩	
	ʤʌstɪˈfaɪəbl̩	
justification	ʤʌstɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
justifications	ʤʌstɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
justify	ˈʤʌstɪfaɪ	
justifies	ˈʤʌstɪfaɪz	
justified	ˈʤʌstɪfaɪd	
justifying	ˈʤʌstɪfaɪɪŋ	
jut	ʤʌt	
juts	ʤʌts	
jutted	ˈʤʌtɪd	
jutting	ˈʤʌtɪŋ	
juvenile	ˈʤuˑvɪnaɪl, ˈʤuˑvənaɪl	ˈʤuˑvɪnɪl, ˈʤuˑvənɪl

K

K	keɪ	
K's	keɪz	
kangaroo	kæŋgəˈruˑ	
kangaroos	kæŋgəˈruˑz	

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Kate	keɪt	
Katherine	ˈkæθərɪn	
Kathleen	ˈkæθlin, kæθˈliːn	
keen	kiːn	
keener	ˈkiːnə(r	ˈkiːnə
keenest	ˈkiːnɪst	
keenly	ˈkiːnlɪ	
keenness	ˈkiːnnɪs	
keep	kiːp	
keeps	kiːps	
kept	kɛpt	
keeping	ˈkiːpɪŋ	
keeper	ˈkiːpə(r	ˈkiːpə
keepers	ˈkiːpəz	ˈkiːpəz
kernel	ˈkəːnl̩	ˈkəənl̩
kernels	ˈkəːnl̩z	ˈkəənl̩z
kerosene	ˈkɛrəsiːn	
kettle	ˈkɛtl̩	
kettles	ˈkɛtl̩z	
key	kiː	
keys	kiːz	
keyboard	ˈkiːbɔd, ˈkiːbɔəd	ˈkiːboəd
keyboards	ˈkiːbɔdz, ˈkiːbɔədz	ˈkiːboədz
kick	kɪk	
kicks	kɪks	
kicked	kɪkt	
kicking	ˈkɪkɪŋ	
kid	kɪd	
kidnap	ˈkɪdnæp	
kidnaps	ˈkɪdnæps	
kidnapped	ˈkɪdnæpt	
kidnapping	ˈkɪdnæpɪŋ	
kidney	ˈkɪdnɪ	
kidneys	ˈkɪdnɪz	
kill	kɪl	
kills	kɪlz	
killed	kɪld	
killing	ˈkɪlɪŋ	
kilogram (*Amer.*)		
kilogramme	ˈkɪləgræm	
kilograms (*Amer.*)		
kilogrammes	ˈkɪləgræmz	
kilometer (*Amer.*)		
kilometre	ˈkɪləˈmiːtə(r	ˈkɪləˈmiːtə
kilometers (*Amer.*)		
kilometres	ˈkɪləˈmiːtəz	ˈkɪləˈmiːtəz
kimono	ˈkɪmənoʊ, kɪˈmoʊnoʊ	

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kimonos	ˈkɪmənouz kɪˈmounouz	
kind	kaɪnd	
kinds	kaɪndz	
kinder	ˈkaɪndə(r	ˈkaɪndə
kindest	ˈkaɪndɪst	
kindly	ˈkaɪndlɪ	
kindness	ˈkaɪndnɪs	
kindergarten	ˈkɪndəgɑtn̩	ˈkɪndəgɑətn̩
kindergartens	ˈkɪndəgɑtn̩z	ˈkɪndəgɑətn̩z
king	kɪŋ	
kings	kɪŋz	
kingdom	ˈkɪŋdəm	
kingdoms	ˈkɪŋdəmz	
kiss	kɪs	
kisses	ˈkɪsɪz	
kissed	kɪst	
kissing	ˈkɪsɪŋ	
kitchen	ˈkɪtʃɪn, ˈkɪtʃən	
kitchens	ˈkɪtʃɪnz, ˈkɪtʃənz	
kite	kaɪt	
kites	kaɪts	
kitten	ˈkɪtn̩	
kittens	ˈkɪtn̩z	
knack	næk	
knacks	næks	
knapsack	ˈnæpsæk	
knapsacks	ˈnæpsæks	
knee	niˑ	
knees	niˑz	
kneel	niˑl	
kneels	niˑlz	
kneeled	nɛlt, niˑld	
knelt	nɛlt	
kneeling	ˈniˑlɪŋ	
KNEW *from* know	njuˑ	
knife	naɪf	
knives	naɪvz	
knight	naɪt	
knights	naɪts	
knighthood	ˈnaɪthʊd	
knighthoods	ˈnaɪthʊdz	
knit	nɪt	
knits	nɪts	
knitted	ˈnɪtɪd	
knitting	ˈnɪtɪŋ	
knob	nɒb	nɑb

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knobs	nɒbz	nɑbz
knock	nɒk	nɑk
knocks	nɒks	nɑks
knocked	nɒkt	nɑkt
knocking	ˈnɒkɪŋ	ˈnɑkɪŋ
knocker	ˈnɒkə(r	ˈnɑkə
knockers	ˈnɒkəz	ˈnɑkəz
knot	nɒt	nɑt
knots	nɒts	nɑts
knotted	ˈnɒtɪd	ˈnɑtɪd
knotting	ˈnɒtɪŋ	ˈnɑtɪŋ
know	nəʊ	
knows	nəʊz	
knew	njuˑ	
known	nəʊn	
knowing, *adj. & verb*	ˈnəʊɪŋ	
knowingly	ˈnəʊɪŋlɪ	
knowledge	ˈnɒlɪʤ	ˈnɑlɪʤ
knuckle	ˈnʌkl̩	
knuckles	ˈnʌkl̩z	
Korea	†kəˈrɪə	

L

L	ɛl	
L's	ɛlz	
label	ˈleɪbl̩	
labels	ˈleɪbl̩z	
labelled	ˈleɪbl̩d	
labelling	ˈleɪblɪŋ	
laboratory	ˈlæbərətərɪ,ləˈbɒrətərɪ	ˈlæbərətorɪ
laboratories	ˈlæbərətərɪz ləˈbɒrətərɪz	ˈlæbərətorɪz
laborious	ləˈbɔˑrɪəs	
laboriously	ləˈbɔˑrɪəslɪ	
labor (*Amer.*)		
labour	ˈleɪbə(r	ˈleɪbə
labors (*Amer.*)		
labours	ˈleɪbəz	ˈleɪbəz
labored (*Amer.*)		
laboured	ˈleɪbəd	ˈleɪbəd
laboring (*Amer.*)		
labouring	ˈleɪbərɪŋ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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laborer (*Amer.*)		
labourer	ˈleɪbərə(r	ˈleɪbərə
laborers (*Amer.*)		
labourers	ˈleɪbərəz	ˈleɪbərəz
lace	leɪs	
laces	ˈleɪsɪz	
laced	leɪst	
lacing	ˈleɪsɪŋ	
lack	læk	
lacquer	ˈlækə(r	ˈlækə
lad	læd	
lads	lædz	
ladder	ˈlædə(r	ˈlædə
ladders	ˈlædəz	ˈlædəz
lady	ˈleɪdɪ	
ladies	ˈleɪdɪz	
lag	læg	
lags	lægz	
lagged	lægd	
lagging	ˈlægɪŋ	
LAID *from* lay	leɪd	
lake	leɪk	
lakes	leɪks	
lamb	læm	
lambs	læmz	
lame	leɪm	
lamer	ˈleɪmə(r	ˈleɪmə
lamest	ˈleɪmɪst	
lamely	ˈleɪmlɪ	
lamp	læmp	
lamps	læmps	
land	lænd	
lands	lændz	
landed	ˈlændɪd	
landing	ˈlændɪŋ	
landings	ˈlændɪŋz	
landlady	ˈlæn*d*leɪdɪ	
landladies	ˈlæn*d*leɪdɪz	
landlord	ˈlæn*d*lɔd	ˈlæn*d*lɔəd
landlords	ˈlæn*d*lɔdz	ˈlæn*d*lɔədz
landmark	ˈlæn*d*mɑk	ˈlæn*d*mɑək
landmarks	ˈlæn*d*mɑks	ˈlæn*d*mɑəks
landscape	ˈlæn*d*skeɪp	
landscapes	ˈlæn*d*skeɪps	
lane	leɪn	
lanes	leɪnz	
language	ˈlæŋgwɪʤ	

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languages	ˈlæŋgwɪʤɪz	
lantern	ˈlæntən	ˈlæntən
lanterns	ˈlæntənz	ˈlæntənz
lap	læp	
laps	læps	
lapse	læps	
lapses	ˈlæpsɪz	
lapsed	læpst	
lapsing	ˈlæpsɪŋ	
large	lɑˈʤ	lɑəʤ
larger	ˈlɑˈʤə(r	ˈlɑəʤə
largest	ˈlɑˈʤɪst	ˈlɑəʤɪst
largely	ˈlɑˈʤlɪ	ˈlɑəʤlɪ
last	lɑˈst	laˈst
lasts	lɑˈsts	laˈsts
lasted	ˈlɑˈstɪd	ˈlaˈstɪd
lasting	ˈlɑˈstɪŋ	ˈlaˈstɪŋ
lastly	ˈlɑˈstlɪ	ˈlaˈstlɪ
latch	lætʃ	
latches	ˈlætʃɪz	
late	leɪt	
later	ˈleɪtə(r	ˈleɪtə
latest	ˈleɪtɪst	
lately	ˈleɪtlɪ	
lateness	ˈleɪtnɪs	
lather	lɑˈðə(r	laˈðə
Latin	ˈlætɪn	
latitude	ˈlætɪtjud	
latitudes	ˈlætɪtjudz	
latter	ˈlætə(r	ˈlætə
latterly	ˈlætəlɪ	ˈlætəlɪ
laugh	lɑˈf	laˈf
laughs	lɑˈfs	laˈfs
laughed	lɑˈft	laˈft
laughing	ˈlɑˈfɪŋ	ˈlaˈfɪŋ
laughingly	ˈlɑˈfɪŋlɪ	ˈlaˈfɪŋlɪ
laughable	ˈlɑˈfəbḷ	ˈlaˈfəbḷ
laughter	ˈlɑˈftə(r	ˈlaˈftə
launch	lɔˈntʃ, lɑˈntʃ	lɔˈntʃ, laˈntʃ
launches	ˈlɔˈntʃɪz, lɑˈntʃɪz	ˈlɔˈntʃɪz, ˈlaˈntʃɪz
launched	lɔˈntʃt, lɑˈntʃt	lɔˈntʃt, laˈntʃt
launching	ˈlɔˈntʃɪŋ, ˈlɑˈntʃɪŋ	ˈlɔˈntʃɪŋ, ˈlaˈntʃɪŋ
laundress	ˈlɔˈndrɪs, ˈlɑˈndrɪs	ˈlɔˈndrɪs, ˈlaˈndrɪs
laundresses	ˈlɔˈndrɪsɪz, ˈlɑˈndrɪsɪz	ˈlɔˈndrɪsɪz, ˈlaˈndrɪsɪz
laundry	ˈlɔˈndrɪ, ˈlɑˈndrɪ	ˈlɔˈndrɪ, ˈlaˈndrɪ
laundries	ˈlɔˈndrɪz, ˈlɑˈndrɪz	ˈlɔˈndrɪz, ˈlaˈndrɪz
laurel	ˈlɒrəl	

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laurels	ˈlɒrəlz	
lava	ˈlɑːvə	
lavatory	ˈlævətərɪ	ˈlævətorɪ
lavatories	ˈlævətərɪz	ˈlævətorɪz
law	lɔː	
laws	lɔːz	
lawful	ˈlɔːful	
lawfully	ˈlɔːfulɪ, ˈlɔːfəlɪ	
lawn	lɔːn	
lawns	lɔːnz	
law-suit	ˈlɔːsjut	
law-suits	ˈlɔːsjuts	
lawyer	ˈlɔːjə(r, ˈlɔɪə(r	ˈlɔːjə
lawyers	ˈlɔːjəz, ˈlɔɪəz	ˈlɔːjəz
lax	læks	
lay	leɪ	
lays	leɪz	
laid	leɪd	
laying	ˈleɪɪŋ	
layer	leɪə(r, lɛə(r	leɪə
layers	leɪəz, lɛəz	leɪəz
lazy	ˈleɪzɪ	
lazier	ˈleɪzɪə(r	ˈleɪzɪə
laziest	ˈleɪzɪɪst	
lazily	ˈleɪzɪlɪ	
laziness	ˈleɪzɪnɪs	
lead, *the metal*	lɛd	
lead, *conduct*	liːd	
leads	liːdz	
led	lɛd	
leading	ˈliːdɪŋ	
leader	ˈliːdə(r	ˈliːdə
leaders	ˈliːdəz	ˈliːdəz
leaf	liːf	
leaves	liːvz	
leaflet	ˈliːflɪt	
leaflets	ˈliːflɪts	
league	liːg	
leagues	liːgz	
leak	liːk	
leaks	liːks	
leaked	liːkt	
leaking	ˈliːkɪŋ	
lean	liːn	
leaner	ˈliːnə(r	ˈliːnə
leanest	ˈliːnɪst	
leans	liːnz	

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leaned	lɛnt, liˑnd	
leant	lɛnt	
leaning	ˈliˑnɪŋ	
learn	ləˑn	ləən
learns	ləˑnz	ləənz
learned	ləˑnt, ləˑnd	ləənt, ləənd
learnt	ləˑnt	ləənt
learning	ˈləˑnɪŋ	ˈləənɪŋ
learner	ˈləˑnə(r	ˈləənə
learners	ˈləˑnəz	ˈləənəz
learned, *adj.*	ˈləˑnɪd	ˈləənd
learnedly	ˈləˑnɪdlɪ	ˈləənɪdlɪ
lease	liˑs	
leases	ˈliˑsɪz	
least	liˑst	
leather	ˈlɛðə(r	ˈlɛðə
leave	liˑv	
leaves	liˑvz	
left	lɛft	
leaving	ˈliˑvɪŋ	
lecture	ˈlɛktʃə(r	ˈlɛktʃə
lectures	ˈlɛktʃəz	ˈlɛktʃəz
lectured	ˈlɛktʃəd	ˈlɛktʃəd
lecturing	ˈlɛktʃərɪŋ	
lecturer	ˈlɛktʃərə(r	ˈlɛktʃərə
lecturers	ˈlɛktʃərəz	ˈlɛktʃərəz
LED *from* lead	lɛd	
ledge	lɛʤ	
ledges	ˈlɛʤɪz	
ledger	ˈlɛʤə(r	ˈlɛʤə
ledgers	ˈlɛʤəz	ˈlɛʤəz
left	lɛft	
left-handed	ˈlɛftˈhændɪd	
leg	lɛg	
legs	lɛgz	
legacy	ˈlɛgəsɪ	
legal	ˈliˑgəl	
legally	ˈliˑgəlɪ	
legation	lɪˈgeɪʃən lɛˈgeɪʃən	
legations	lɪˈgeɪʃənz lɛˈgeɪʃənz	
legend	ˈlɛʤənd	ˈliˑʤənd
legends	ˈlɛʤəndz	ˈliˑʤəndz
legging	ˈlɛgɪŋ	
leggings	ˈlɛgɪŋz	
legibility	lɛʤɪˈbɪlɪtɪ, lɛʤəˈbɪlɪtɪ	

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legible	ˈlɛʤɪbḷ, ˈlɛʤəbḷ	
legibly	ˈlɛʤɪblɪ, ˈlɛʤəblɪ	
legislation	lɛʤɪsˈleɪʃən	
legitimate	lɪˈʤɪtɪmɪt	
legitimately	lɪˈʤɪtɪmɪtlɪ	
leisure	ˈlɛʒə(r	ˈlɛʒə,ˈliːʒə
lemon	ˈlɛmən	
lemons	ˈlɛmənz	
lemonade	lɛməˈneɪd	
lend	lɛnd	
lends	lɛndz	
lent	lɛnt	
lending	ˈlɛndɪŋ	
lender	ˈlɛndə(r	ˈlɛndə
lenders	ˈlɛndəz	ˈlɛndəz
length	lɛŋkθ	
lengths	lɛŋkθs	
lengthen	ˈlɛŋkθən	
lengthens	ˈlɛŋkθənz	
lengthened	ˈlɛŋkθənd	
lengthening	ˈlɛŋkθənɪŋ	
lengthways	ˈlɛŋkθweɪz	
lengthwise	lɛŋkθwaɪz	
lengthy	ˈlɛŋkθɪ	
lens	lɛnz	
lenses	ˈlɛnzɪz	
LENT *from* lend	lɛnt	
leopard	ˈlɛpəd	ˈlɛpəd
leopards	ˈlɛpədz	ˈlɛpədz
less	lɛs	
lessen	ˈlɛsn̩	
lessens	ˈlɛsn̩z	
lessened	ˈlɛsn̩d	
lessening	ˈlɛsnɪŋ	
lesson	ˈlɛsn̩	
lessons	ˈlɛsn̩z	
let	lɛt	
lets	ˈlɛts	
letting	ˈlɛtɪŋ	
letter	ˈlɛtə(r	ˈlɛtə
letters	ˈlɛtəz	ˈlɛtəz
letterbox	ˈlɛtəbɒks	ˈlɛtəbɑks
letterboxes	lɛtəbɒksɪz	ˈlɛtəbɑksɪz
level	ˈlɛvḷ	
levels	ˈlɛvḷz	
leveled (*Amer.*)		
levelled	ˈlɛvḷd	

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leveling (*Amer.*)		
levelling	ˈlɛvəlɪŋ	
lever	ˈliːvə(r	ˈliːvə, ˈlɛvə
levers	ˈliːvəz	ˈliːvəz, ˈlɛvəz
leverage	ˈliːvərɪʤ	ˈlɛvərɪʤ
liability	laɪəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
liabilities	laɪəˈbɪlɪtɪz	
liable	ˈlaɪəbl̩	
liar	ˈlaɪə(r	ˈlaɪə
liars	ˈlaɪəz	ˈlaɪəz
libel	ˈlaɪbəl	
libels	ˈlaɪbəlz	
libeled (*Amer.*)		
libelled	ˈlaɪbəld	
libeling (*Amer.*)		
libelling	ˈlaɪbəlɪŋ	
libelous (*Amer.*)		
libellous	ˈlaɪbələs	
liberal	ˈlɪbərəl	
liberals	ˈlɪbərəlz	
liberally	ˈlɪbərəlɪ	
liberality	lɪbəˈrælɪtɪ	
liberate	ˈlɪbəreɪt	
liberates	ˈlɪbəreɪts	
liberated	ˈlɪbəreɪtɪd	
liberating	ˈlɪbəreɪtɪŋ	
liberation	lɪbəˈreɪʃən	
liberty	ˈlɪbətɪ	ˈlɪbətɪ
liberties	ˈlɪbətɪz	ˈlɪbətɪz
librarian	laɪˈbrɛərɪən	laɪˈbrɛːrɪən
librarians	laɪˈbrɛərɪənz	laɪˈbrɛːrɪənz
library	ˈlaɪbrərɪ	ˈlaɪbrɛrɪ
libraries	ˈlaɪbrərɪz	ˈlaɪbrɛrɪz
licence	ˈlaɪsəns	
licences	ˈlaɪsənsɪz	
lick	lɪk	
licks	lɪks	
licked	lɪkt	
licking	ˈlɪkɪŋ	
lid	lɪd	
lids	lɪdz	
lie	laɪ	
lies	laɪz	
lied	laɪd	
lay	leɪ	
lying	ˈlaɪɪŋ	
lieutenant	lɛfˈtɛnənt	luˈtɛnənt

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lieutenants	lɛf'tɛnənts	lu'tɛnənts
life	laɪf	
lives	laɪvz	
lifetime	'laɪftaɪm	
lifetimes	'laɪftaɪmz	
lift	lɪft	
lifts	lɪfts	
lifted	'lɪftɪd	
lifting	'lɪftɪŋ	
light	laɪt	
lighter	'laɪtə(r	'laɪtə
lightest	'laɪtɪst	
lights	laɪts	
lighted	'laɪtɪd	
lit	lɪt	
lighting	'laɪtɪŋ	
lighten	'laɪtn̩	
lightens	'laɪtn̩z	
lightened	'laɪtn̩d	
lightening	'laɪtn̩ɪŋ, 'laɪtnɪŋ	
light-hearted	'laɪt'hɑ·tɪd	'laɪt'hɑətɪd
light-heartedly	'laɪt'hɑ·tɪdlɪ	'laɪt'hɑətɪdlɪ
lighthouse	'laɪthaʊs	
lighthouses	'laɪthaʊzɪz	
lightly	'laɪtlɪ	
lightness	'laɪtnɪs	
lightning	'laɪtnɪŋ	
like	laɪk	
likes	laɪks	
liked	'laɪkt	
liking	'laɪkɪŋ	
likelihood	'laɪklɪhʊd	
likely	'laɪklɪ	
likeness	'laɪknɪs	
lily	'lɪlɪ	
lilies	'lɪlɪz	
limb	lɪm	
limbs	lɪmz	
lime	laɪm	
limit	'lɪmɪt	
limits	'lɪmɪts	
limited	'lɪmɪtɪd	
limiting	'lɪmɪtɪŋ	
limitation	lɪmɪ'teɪʃən	
limitations	lɪmɪ'teɪʃənz	
limp	lɪmp	
limper	'lɪmpə(r	'lɪmpə

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limpest	ˈlɪmpɪst	
limps	lɪmps	
limped	lɪm*p*t	
limping	ˈlɪmpɪŋ	
limply	ˈlɪmplɪ	
line	laɪn	
lines	laɪnz	
lined	ˈlaɪnd	
lining	ˈlaɪnɪŋ	
linen	ˈlɪnɪn	
liner	ˈlaɪnə(r	ˈlaɪnə
liners	ˈlaɪnəz	ˈlaɪnəz
linguist	ˈlɪŋgwɪst	
linguists	ˈlɪŋgwɪsts	
linguistic	lɪŋˈgwɪstɪk	
linguistics	lɪŋˈgwɪstɪks	
lining	ˈlaɪnɪŋ	
linings	ˈlaɪnɪŋz	
link	lɪŋk	
links	lɪŋks	
linked	lɪŋ*k*t	
linking	lɪŋkɪŋ	
lion	ˈlaɪən	
lions	ˈlaɪənz	
lip	lɪp	
lips	lɪps	
liquid	ˈlɪkwɪd	
liquids	ˈlɪkwɪdz	
lisp	lɪsp	
lisps	lɪsps	
lisped	lɪspt	
lisping	ˈlɪspɪŋ	
list	lɪst	
lists	lɪsts	
listen	ˈlɪsn̩	
listens	ˈlɪsn̩z	
listened	ˈlɪsn̩d	
listening	ˈlɪsnɪŋ	
listener	ˈlɪsnə(r	ˈlɪsnə
listeners	ˈlɪsnəz	ˈlɪsnəz
LIT *from* light	lɪt	
literal	ˈlɪtərəl	
literally	ˈlɪtərəlɪ	
literature	ˈlɪtərɪtʃə(r	ˈlɪtərɪtʃə
	ˈlɪtərɪtʃʊə(r	ˈlɪtərɪtʃʊə
	ˈlɪtərətʃə(r	ˈlɪtərətʃə
	ˈlɪtərətjʊə(r	ˈlɪtərətjʊə

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literatures	ˈlɪtərɪtʃəz	ˈlɪtərɪtʃəz
	ˈlɪtərɪtʃʊəz	ˈlɪtərɪtʃʊəz
	ˈlɪtərətʃəz	ˈlɪtərətʃəz
	ˈlɪtərətjʊəz	ˈlɪtərətjʊəz
lithograph	ˈlɪθəgræf, ˈlɪθəgrɑf	ˈlɪθəgraf
lithographs	ˈlɪθəgræfs	ˈlɪθəgrafs
	ˈlɪθəgrɑfs	
lithography	lɪˈθɒgrəfɪ	lɪˈθɑgrəfɪ
liter (*Amer.*)		
litre	ˈliːtə(r	ˈliːtə
liters (*Amer.*)		
litres	ˈliːtəz	ˈliːtəz
little	ˈlɪtl̩	
live, *adj.*	laɪv	
live, *verb*	lɪv	
lives	lɪvz	
lived	ˈlɪvd	
living	ˈlɪvɪŋ	
lively	ˈlaɪvlɪ	
liver	ˈlɪvə(r	ˈlɪvə
livers	ˈlɪvəz	ˈlɪvəz
Liverpool	ˈlɪvəpul	ˈlɪvəpul
LIVES, *plur. of* life	laɪvz	
LIVES *from* live	lɪvz	
load	loʊd	
loads	loʊdz	
loaded	ˈloʊdɪd	
loading	ˈloʊdɪŋ	
loaf	loʊf	
loaves	loʊvz	
loan	loʊn	
loans	loʊnz	
loathe	loʊð	
loathes	loʊðz	
loathed	loʊðd	
loathing	ˈloʊðɪŋ	
lobster	ˈlɒbstə(r	ˈlɑbstə
lobsters	ˈlɒbstəz	ˈlɑbstəz
local	ˈloʊkəl	
locally	ˈloʊkəlɪ	
locality	loʊˈkælɪtɪ	
localities	loʊˈkælɪtɪz	
locate	loʊˈkeɪt	ˈloʊkeɪt
locates	loʊˈkeɪts	ˈloʊkeɪts
located	loʊˈkeɪtɪd	ˈloʊkeɪtɪd
locating	loʊˈkeɪtɪŋ	ˈloʊkeɪtɪŋ
location	loʊˈkeɪʃən	

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locations	lou'keɪʃənz	
lock	lɒk	lɑk
locks	lɒks	lɑks
locked	lɒkt	lɑkt
locking	'lɒkɪŋ	'lɑkɪŋ
lockout	'lɒk'aʊt	'lɑk'aʊt
lockouts	'lɒk'aʊts	'lɑk'aʊts
locomotive	'loukə'moutɪv	
locomotives	'loukə'moutɪvz	
lodge	lɒʤ	lɑʤ
lodges	'lɒʤɪz	'lɑʤɪz
lodged	'lɒʤd	'lɑʤd
lodging	'lɒʤɪŋ	'lɑʤɪŋ
lodger	'lɒʤə(r	'lɑʤə
lodgers	'lɒʤəz	'lɑʤəz
lodging	'lɒʤɪŋ	'lɑʤɪŋ
lodgings	'lɒʤɪŋz	'lɑʤɪŋz
lofty	'lɔ·ftɪ, 'lɒftɪ	
log	lɒg	lɑg
logs	lɒgz	lɑgz
logarithm	'lɒgərɪθm̩	'lɑgərɪðm̩
	'lɒgərɪðm̩	
logarithms	'lɒgərɪθm̩z	'lɑgərɪðm̩z
	'lɒgərɪðm̩z	
logic	'lɒʤɪk	'lɑʤɪk
logical	'lɒʤɪkəl	'lɑʤɪkəl
logically	'lɒʤɪkəlɪ	'lɑʤɪkəlɪ
logician	lou'ʤɪʃən, lɒ'ʤɪʃən	
logicians	lou'ʤɪʃənz	
	lɒ'ʤɪʃənz	
London	'lʌndən	
lonely	'lounlɪ	
lonelier	'lounlɪə(r	'lounlɪə
	'lounljə(r	'lounljə
loneliest	'lounlɪst	
	'lounljɪst	
loneliness	'lounlɪnɪs	
long	lɒŋ	
longer	'lɒŋgə(r	
longest	'lɒŋgɪst	
longs	lɒŋz	
longed	lɒŋd	
longing	'lɒŋɪŋ	
longings	'lɒŋɪŋz	
longitude	'lɒnʤɪtjud	'lɑnʤɪtjud
longitudes	'lɒnʤɪtjudz	'lɑnʤɪtjudz
look	lʊk	

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looks	lʊks	
looked	lʊkt	
looking	ˈlʊkɪŋ	
looking-glass	ˈlʊkɪŋglɑs	ˈlʊkɪŋglas
looking-glass	ˈlʊkɪŋglɑsɪz	ˈlʊkɪŋglasɪz
look-out	ˈlʊkˈaʊt	
loop	luːp	
loops	luːps	
loose	luːs	
looser	ˈluːsə(r	ˈluːsə
loosest	ˈluːsɪst	
loosely	ˈluːslɪ	
loosen	ˈluːsn̩	
loosens	ˈluːsn̩z	
loosened	ˈluːsn̩d	
loosening	ˈluːsnɪŋ	
looseness	ˈluːsnɪs	
loquacious	loʊˈkweɪʃəs	
	ləˈkweɪʃəs	
lord	lɔːd	lɔəd
lords	lɔːdz	lɔədz
lordship	ˈlɔːdʃɪp	ˈlɔədʃɪp
lordships	ˈlɔːdʃɪps	ˈlɔədʃɪps
lose	luːz	
loses	ˈluːzɪz	
lost	lɔːst, lɒst	
losing	ˈluːzɪŋ	
loser	ˈluːzə(r	ˈluːzə
losers	ˈluːzəz	ˈluːzəz
loss	lɔːs, lɒs	
losses	ˈlɔːsɪz, ˈlɒsɪz	
lot	lɒt	lɑt
lots	lɒts	lɑts
lottery	ˈlɒtərɪ	ˈlɑtərɪ
lotteries	ˈlɒtərɪz	ˈlɑtərɪz
lotus	ˈloʊtəs	
loud	laʊd	
louder	ˈlaʊdə(r	ˈlaʊdə
loudest	ˈlaʊdɪst	
loudly	ˈlaʊdlɪ	
loudness	ˈlaʊdnɪs	
lovable	ˈlʌvəbl̩	
love	lʌv	
loves	lʌvz	
loved	lʌvd	
loving	ˈlʌvɪŋ	
lover	ˈlʌvə(r	ˈlʌvə

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lovers	ˈlʌvəz	ˈlʌvəz
lovely	ˈlʌvlɪ	
lovelier	ˈlʌvlɪə(r	ˈlʌvlɪə
loveliest	ˈlʌvlɪst	
loveliness	ˈlʌvlɪnɪs	
lovingly	ˈlʌvɪŋlɪ	
low	loʊ	
lower	ˈloʊə(r	ˈloʊə
lowest	ˈloʊɪst	
lower	ˈloʊə(r	ˈloʊə
lowers	ˈloʊəz	ˈloʊəz
lowered	ˈloʊəd	ˈloʊəd
lowering	ˈloʊərɪŋ	
lowness	ˈloʊnɪs	
loyal	ˈlɔɪəl	
loyally	ˈlɔɪəlɪ	
loyalty	ˈlɔɪəltɪ	
lubricate	ˈljuˈbrɪkeɪt	
lubricates	ˈljuˈbrɪkeɪts	
lubricated	ˈljuˈbrɪkeɪtɪd	
lubricating	ˈljuˈbrɪkeɪtɪŋ	
lubrication	ljubrɪˈkeɪʃən	
luck	lʌk	
lucky	ˈlʌkɪ	
luckier	ˈlʌkɪə(r	ˈlʌkɪə
luckiest	ˈlʌkɪst	
luckily	ˈlʌkɪlɪ	
lucrative	ˈljuˈkrətɪv	
ludicrous	ˈljuˈdɪkrəs	
luggage	ˈlʌgɪʤ	
lumber	ˈlʌmbə(r	ˈlʌmbə
lump	lʌmp	
lumps	lʌmps	
lunacy	ˈljuˈnəsɪ	
lunar	ˈljuˈnə(r	ˈljuˈnə
lunatic	ˈljuˈnətɪk	
lunatics	ˈljuˈnətɪks	
lunch	lʌnʧ	
lunches	ˈlʌnʧɪz	
lunched	ˈlʌnʧt	
lunching	ˈlʌnʧɪŋ	
luncheon	ˈlʌnʧən, ˈlʌnʃən	
luncheons	ˈlʌnʧənz, ˈlʌnʃənz	
lung	lʌŋ	
lungs	lʌŋz	
lurch	lɜˈʧ	lɜ̀ətʃ
lurches	ˈlɜˈʧɪz	ˈlɜ̀ətʃɪz

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lurched	lə·tʃt	lɜ̝ətʃt
lurching	ˈlə·tʃɪŋ	ˈlɜ̝ətʃɪŋ
luxuriant	lʌkˈsjʊərɪənt	
	lʌgˈzjʊərɪənt	
	lʌgˈʒʊərɪənt	lʌgˈʒʊ·rɪənt
luxurious	lʌkˈsjʊərɪəs	
	lʌgˈzjʊərɪəs	
	lʌgˈʒʊərɪəs	lʌgˈʒʊ·rɪəs
luxuriously	lʌkˈsjʊərɪəslɪ	
	lʌgˈzjʊərɪəslɪ	
	lʌgˈʒʊərɪəsɪ	lʌgˈʒʊ·rɪəslɪ
luxury	ˈlʌkʃʊrɪ, ˈlʌkʃərɪ	
	ˈlʌksjʊrɪ, ˈlʌksjərɪ	
luxuries	ˈlʌkʃʊrɪz, ˈlʌkʃərɪz	
	ˈlʌksjʊrɪz, ˈlʌksjərɪz	
LYING *from* lie	ˈlaɪɪŋ	

M

M	ɛm	
M's	ɛmz	
Mabel	ˈmeɪbl̩	
machine	məˈʃi·n	
machines	məˈʃi·nz	
mad	mæ·d	
madder	ˈmæ·də(r, ˈmædə(r	ˈmæ·də, ˈmædə
maddest	ˈmæ·dɪst, ˈmædɪst	
madam	ˈmædəm	
madden	ˈmædn̩	
maddens	ˈmædn̩z	
maddened	ˈmædn̩d	
maddening	ˈmædn̩ɪŋ	
MADE *from* make	meɪd	
madly	ˈmæ·dlɪ, ˈmædlɪ	
madness	ˈmæ·dnɪs, ˈmædnɪs	
Madras	məˈdræs, məˈdrɑ·s	
magazine	ˈmægəˈzi·n	
magazines	ˈmægəˈzi·nz	
magic	ˈmæʤɪk	
magical	ˈmæʤɪkl̩	
magically	ˈmæʤɪkəlɪ	
magician	məˈʤɪʃən	
magicians	məˈʤɪʃənz	
magistrate	ˈmæʤɪstrɪt	
	ˈmæʤɪstreɪt	
	ˈmæʤɪstrɛt	

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magistrates	ˈmædʒɪstrɪts	
	ˈmædʒɪstreɪts	
	ˈmædʒɪstrɛts	
magnanimity	mægnəˈnɪmɪtɪ	
magnanimous	mægˈnænɪməs	
	məgˈnænɪməs	
magnanimously	mægˈnænɪməslɪ	
	məgˈnænɪməslɪ	
magnet	ˈmægnɪt	
magnets	ˈmægnɪts	
magnetic	mægˈnɛtɪk	
	məgˈnɛtɪk	
magnetism	ˈmægnɪtɪzm̩	
magnetize	ˈmægnɪtaɪz	
magnetizes	ˈmægnɪtaɪzɪz	
magnetized	ˈmægnɪtaɪzd	
magnetizing	ˈmægnɪtaɪzɪŋ	
magnificence	mægˈnɪfɪsn̩s	
	məgˈnɪfɪsn̩s	
magnificent	mægˈnɪfɪsn̩t	
	məgˈnɪfɪsn̩t	
magnificently	mægˈnɪfɪsn̩tlɪ	
	məgˈnɪfɪsn̩tlɪ	
magnify	ˈmægnɪfaɪ	
magnifies	ˈmægnɪfaɪz	
magnified	ˈmægnɪfaɪd	
magnifying	ˈmægnɪfaɪŋ	
magnifier	ˈmægnɪfaɪə(r	ˈmægnɪfaɪə
magnifiers	ˈmægnɪfaɪəz	ˈmægnɪfaɪəz
mahogany	məˈhɒgənɪ	məˈhɑgənɪ
Mahommedan	məˈhɒmɪdən	məˈhɑmɪdən
Mahommedans	məˈhɒmɪdənz	məˈhɑmɪdənz
maid	meɪd	
maids	meɪdz	
mail	meɪl	
mails	meɪlz	
mailed	meɪld	
mailing	ˈmeɪlɪŋ	
main	meɪn	
mainly	ˈmeɪnlɪ	
mainland	ˈmeɪnˈlænd	
	ˈmeɪnlənd	
mainspring	ˈmeɪnsprɪŋ	
mainsprings	ˈmeɪnsprɪŋz	
maintain	meɪnˈteɪn	
maintains	meɪnˈteɪnz	
maintained	meɪnˈteɪnd	

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maintaining	meɪn'teɪnɪŋ	
maintenance	'meɪntɪnəns	
majestic	mə'ʤɛstɪk	
majestically	mə'ʤɛstɪkəlɪ	
majesty	'mæʤɪstɪ, 'mæʤəstɪ	
majesties	'mæʤɪstɪz 'mæʤəstɪz	
major	'meɪʤə(r	'meɪʤə
majors	'meɪʤəz	'meɪʤəz
majority	mə'ʤɒrɪtɪ	
majorities	mə'ʤɒrɪtɪz	
make	meɪk	
makes	meɪkz	
made	meɪd	
making	'meɪkɪŋ	
makeshift	'meɪkʃɪft	
makeshifts	'meɪkʃɪfts	
maker	'meɪkə(r	'meɪkə
makers	'meɪkəz	'meɪkəz
Malay	mə'leɪ	'meɪleɪ
Malays	mə'leɪz	'meɪleɪz
male	meɪl	
males	meɪlz	
malice	'mælɪs	
malicious	mə'lɪʃəs	
maliciously	mə'lɪʃəslɪ	
malignant	mə'lɪgnənt	
malt	mɔlt, mɒlt	
Malta	'mɔ:ltə, 'mɒltə	
mammal	'mæməl	
mammals	'mæməlz	
man	mæn	
men	mɛn	
manage	'mænɪʤ	
manages	'mænɪʤɪz	
managed	'mænɪʤd	
managing	'mænɪʤɪŋ	
manageable	'mænɪʤəbl̩	
management	'mænɪʤmənt	
manager	'mænɪʤə(r	'mænɪʤə
managers	'mænɪʤəz	'mænɪʤəz
Manchester	'mæntʃɪstə(r	'mæntʃɪstə, 'mæntʃɛstə
Manchuria	mæn'tʃʊərɪə	mæn'tʃu:rɪə
mandarin	'mændərɪn	
mandarins	mændə'ri:n 'mændərɪnz mændə'ri:nz	

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mandate	ˈmændeɪt, ˈmændɪt	
mandates	ˈmændeɪts	
	ˈmændɪts	
mandoline	†ˈmændəlin	
	†mændəˈliːn	
mandolines	†ˈmændəlinz	
	†mændəˈliːnz	
maneuver (*Amer.*)	məˈnuːvə(r	məˈnuːvə
(*See* manœuvre)	məˈnjuːvə(r	məˈnjuːvə
maneuvers	məˈnuːvəz	məˈnuːvəz
	məˈnjuːvəz	məˈnjuːvəz
maneuvered	məˈnuːvəd	məˈnuːvəd
	məˈnjuːvəd	məˈnjuːvəd
maneuvering	məˈnuːvərɪŋ	
	məˈnjuːvərɪŋ	
mangle	mæŋgl̩	
mangles	mæŋgl̩z	
mangled	mæŋgl̩d	
mangling	ˈmæŋglɪŋ	
manhood	ˈmænhʊd	
mania	ˈmeɪnɪə, ˈmeɪnjə	
manias	ˈmeɪnɪəz, ˈmeɪnjəz	
manifest	ˈmænɪfɛst	
manifests	ˈmænɪfɛsts	
manifested	ˈmænɪfɛstɪd	
manifesting	ˈmænɪfɛstɪŋ	
manifestation	mænɪfɛsˈteɪʃən	
	mænɪfəsˈteɪʃən	
manifestations	mænɪfɛsˈteɪʃənz	
	mænɪfəsˈteɪʃənz	
Manila	məˈnɪlə	
mankind	mænˈkaɪnd	
manly	ˈmænlɪ	
manner	ˈmænə(r	ˈmænə
manners	ˈmænəz	ˈmænəz
manœuvre (*English*)	məˈnuːvə(r	məˈnuːvə
(*See* maneuver)	məˈnjuːvə(r	məˈnjuːvə
manœuvres	məˈnuːvəz	məˈnuːvəz
	məˈnjuːvəz	məˈnjuːvəz
manœuvred	məˈnuːvəd	məˈnuːvəd
	məˈnjuːvəd	məˈnjuːvəd
manœuvring	məˈnuːvərɪŋ	
	məˈnjuːvərɪŋ	
man-of-war	ˈmænəvˈwɔə(r	mænəvˈwɔə
men-of-war	ˈmɛnəvˈwɔə(r	ˈmɛnəvˈwɔə

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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manufactory	mænjʊ'fæktərɪ	
manufactories	mænjʊ'fæktərɪz	
manufacture	mænjʊ'fæktʃə(r	mænjʊ'fæktʃə
manufactures	mænjʊ'fæktʃəz	mænjʊ'fæktʃəz
manufactured	mænjʊ'fæktʃəd	mænjʊ'fæktʃəd
manufacturing	mænjʊ'fæktʃərɪŋ	
manufacturer	mænjʊ'fæktʃərə(r	mænjʊ'fæktʃərə
manufacturers	mænjʊ'fæktʃərəz	mænjʊ'fæktʃərəz
manuscript	'mænjʊskrɪpt	
manuscripts	'mænjʊskrɪpts	
many	'mɛnɪ	
map	mæp	
maps	mæps	
mapped	mæpt	
mapping	'mæpɪŋ	
maple	'meɪpl̩	
maples	'meɪpl̩z	
marble	'mɑ·bl̩	'mɑəbl̩
marbles	'mɑ·bl̩z	'mɑəbl̩z
march	mɑ·tʃ	mɑətʃ
marches	'mɑ·tʃɪz	'mɑətʃɪz
marched	mɑ·tʃt	mɑətʃt
marching	'mɑ·tʃɪŋ	'mɑətʃɪŋ
mare	mɛə(r	mɛə
mares	mɛəz	mɛəz
Margaret	'mɑ·gərɪt	'mɑəgərɪt
margin	'mɑ·ʤɪn	'mɑəʤɪn
margins	'mɑ·ʤɪnz	'mɑəʤɪnz
marine	mə'ri·n	
mark	mɑ·k	mɑək
marks	mɑ·ks	mɑəks
marked	mɑ·kt	mɑəkt
marking	'mɑ·kɪŋ	'mɑəkɪŋ
market	'mɑ·kɪt	'mɑəkɪt
markets	'mɑ·kɪts	'mɑəkɪts
marketed	'mɑ·kɪtɪd	'mɑəkɪtɪd
marketing	'mɑ·kɪtɪŋ	'mɑəkɪtɪŋ
marketable	'mɑ·kɪtəbl̩	'mɑəkɪtəbl̩
markings	'mɑ·kɪŋz	'mɑəkɪŋz
marmalade	'mɑ·məleɪd	'mɑəməleɪd
marquis	'mɑ·kwɪs	'mɑəkwɪs
marquises	'mɑ·kwɪsɪz	'mɑəkwɪsɪz
marriage	'mærɪʤ	
marriages	'mærɪʤɪz	
marry	'mærɪ	
marries	'mærɪz	
married	'mærɪd	

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marrying	ˈmærɪŋ	
Marseilles	mɑˈseɪlz	məˈseɪlz
marsh	mɑˈʃ	məʃ
marshes	ˈmɑˈʃɪz	ˈməʃɪz
marshal	ˈmɑˈʃəl	ˈməʃəl
marshals	ˈmɑˈʃəlz	ˈməʃəlz
martyr	ˈmɑˈtə(r	ˈmɑtə
martyrs	ˈmɑˈtəz	ˈmɑtəz
marvel	ˈmɑˈvl̩	ˈməvl̩
marvels	ˈmɑˈvl̩z	ˈməvl̩z
marvellous	ˈmɑˈvɪləs	ˈməvɪləs
marvellously	ˈmɑˈvɪləslɪ	ˈməvɪləslɪ
Mary	ˈmɛərɪ	ˈmɛˑrɪ
masculine	ˈmæskjulɪn	
mask	mɑˈsk	mɑˈsk
masks	mɑˈsks	mɑˈsks
mason	ˈmeɪsn̩	
masons	ˈmeɪsn̩z	
masonry	ˈmeɪsn̩rɪ	
masquerade	mɑskəˈreɪd	
	mæskəˈreɪd	
masquerades	mɑskəˈreɪdz	
	mæskəˈreɪdz	
masqueraded	mɑskəˈreɪdɪd	
	mæskəˈreɪdɪd	
masquerading	mɑskəˈreɪdɪŋ	
	mæskəˈreɪdɪŋ	
mass	mæs	
masses	ˈmæsɪz	
Massachusetts	mæsəˈtʃuˈsɛts	
	mæsəˈtʃuˈsɪts	
massacre	ˈmæsəkə(r	ˈmæsəkə
massacres	ˈmæsəkəz	ˈmæsəkəz
massacred	ˈmæsəkəd	ˈmæsəkəd
massacring	ˈmæsəkərɪŋ	
massage	mæˈsɑˈʒ	
	ˈmæsɑʒ	
massages	mæˈsɑˈʒɪz	
	ˈmæsɑʒɪz	
massaged	mæˈsɑˈʒd	
	ˈmæsɑʒd	
massaging	mæˈsɑˈʒɪŋ	
	ˈmæsɑʒɪŋ	
massive	ˈmæsɪv	
mast	mɑˈst	mɑˈst
masts	mɑˈsts	mɑˈsts
master	ˈmɑˈstə(r	ˈmɑˈstə

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masters	ˈmɑːstəz	ˈmaːstəz
mastered	ˈmɑːstəd	ˈmaːstəd
mastering	ˈmɑːstərɪŋ	ˈmaːstərɪŋ
masterful	ˈmɑːstəful	ˈmaːstəful
masterly	ˈmɑːstəlɪ	ˈmaːstəlɪ
masterpiece	ˈmɑːstəpis	ˈmaːstəpis
masterpieces	ˈmɑːstəpisɪz	ˈmaːstəpisɪz
mastery	ˈmɑːstərɪ	ˈmaːstərɪ
mat	mæt	
mats	mæts	
match	mætʃ	
matches	ˈmætʃɪz	
matched	mætʃt	
matching	ˈmætʃɪŋ	
match-box	ˈmætʃbɒks	ˈmætʃbɑks
match-boxes	ˈmætʃbɒksɪz	ˈmætʃbɑksɪz
matchless	ˈmætʃlɪs	
mate	meɪt	
mates	meɪts	
material	məˈtɪərɪəl	məˈtiːrɪəl
materials	məˈtɪərɪəlz	məˈtiːrɪəlz
materialism	məˈtɪərɪəlɪzm̩	məˈtiːrɪəlɪzm̩
materialist	məˈtɪərɪəlɪst	məˈtiːrɪəlɪst
materialists	məˈtɪərɪəlɪsts	məˈtiːrɪəlɪsts
materialistic	mətɪərɪəˈlɪstɪk	mətɪrɪəˈlɪstɪk
materially	məˈtɪərɪəlɪ	məˈtiːrɪəlɪ
maternal	məˈtəːnl̩	məˈtəən l̩
mathematical	mæθɪˈmætɪkəl mæθəˈmætɪkəl	
mathematically	mæθɪˈmætɪkəlɪ mæθəˈmætɪkəlɪ	
mathematician	mæθɪməˈtɪʃən mæθəməˈtɪʃən	
mathematicians	mæθɪməˈtɪʃənz mæθəməˈtɪʃənz	
mathematics	mæθɪˈmætɪks mæθəˈmætɪks	
matriculate	məˈtrɪkjʊleɪt	
matriculates	məˈtrɪkjʊleɪts	
matriculated	məˈtrɪkjʊleɪtɪd	
matriculating	məˈtrɪkjʊleɪtɪŋ	
matriculation	mətrɪkjʊˈleɪʃən	
matriculations	mətrɪkjʊˈleɪʃənz	
matter	ˈmætə(r	ˈmætə
matters	ˈmætəz	ˈmætəz
mattered	ˈmætəd	ˈmætəd
mattering	ˈmætərɪŋ	

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Matthew	ˈmæθju	
matting	ˈmætɪŋ	
mattress	ˈmætrɪs	
mattresses	ˈmætrɪsɪz	
mauve	moʊv	
maxim	ˈmæksɪm	
maxims	ˈmæksɪmz	
may	meɪ	
mayn't	meɪnt	
might	maɪt	
mightn't	maɪtn̩t	
May	meɪ	
maybe	ˈmeɪˈbiˑ	
mayor	mɛə(r	meɪə
mayors	mɛəz	meɪəz
me	miˑ *s.f.*, mi, mɪ *w.fs.*	
meadow	ˈmɛdoʊ	
meadows	ˈmɛdoʊz	
meal	miˑl	
meals	miˑlz	
mean	miˑn	
meaner	ˈmiˑnə(r	ˈmiˑnə
meanest	ˈmiˑnɪst	
means	miˑnz	
meant	mɛnt	
meaning	ˈmiˑnɪŋ	
meanings	ˈmiˑnɪŋz	
meanly	ˈmiˑnlɪ	
meanness	ˈmiˑnnɪs	
means, *noun*	miˑnz	
meantime	ˈmiˑnˈtaɪm	
meanwhile	ˈmiˑnˈ*h*waɪl	
measurable	ˈmɛʒərəb̩l	
measure	ˈmɛʒə(r	ˈmɛʒə
measures	ˈmɛʒəz	ˈmɛʒəz
measured	ˈmɛʒəd	ˈmɛʒəd
measuring	ˈmɛʒərɪŋ	
measurement	ˈmɛʒəmənt	ˈmɛʒəmənt
measurements	ˈmɛʒəmənts	ˈmɛʒəmənts
meat	miˑt	
mechanic	mɪˈkænɪk	
mechanics	mɪˈkænɪks	
mechanical	mɪˈkænɪkəl	
mechanically	mɪˈkænɪkəlɪ	
mechanism	ˈmɛkənɪzm̩	
mechanisms	ˈmɛkənɪzm̩z	
medal	ˈmɛd̩l	

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medals	ˈmɛdl̩z	
meddle	ˈmɛdl̩	
meddles	ˈmɛdl̩z	
meddled	ˈmɛdl̩d	
meddling	ˈmɛdlɪŋ, ˈmɛdl̩ɪŋ	
meddler	ˈmɛdlə(r, ˈmɛdl̩ə(r	ˈmɛdlə
meddlers	ˈmɛdləz, ˈmɛdl̩əz	ˈmɛdləz
mediæval	mɛdɪˈiːvl̩, midɪˈiːvl̩	
medical	ˈmɛdɪkəl	
medically	ˈmɛdɪkəlɪ	
medicinal	mɪˈdɪsɪnl̩	
medicinally	mɪˈdɪsɪnəlɪ	
medicine	ˈmɛdɪsɪn	
medicines	ˈmɛdɪsɪnz̄	
medieval	mɛdɪˈiːvl̩, midɪˈiːvl̩	
meditate	ˈmɛdɪteɪt	
meditates	ˈmɛdɪteɪts	
meditated	ˈmɛdɪteɪtɪd	
meditating	ˈmɛdɪteɪtɪŋ	
meditation	mɛdɪˈteɪʃən	
meditations	mɛdɪˈteɪʃənz	
Mediterranean	mɛdɪtəˈreɪnjən	
medium	ˈmiːdɪəm, ˈmiːdjəm	
media	ˈmiːdɪə	
mediums	ˈmiːdɪəmz ˈmiːdjəmz	
meek	miːk	
meeker	ˈmiːkə(r	ˈmiːkə
meekest	ˈmiːkɪst	
meekly	ˈmiːklɪ	
meekness	ˈmiːknɪs	
meet	miːt	
meets	miːts	
met	mɛt	
meeting	ˈmiːtɪŋ	
meetings	ˈmiːtɪŋz	
melancholy	†ˈmɛlənkəlɪ †ˈmɛləŋkəlɪ	ˈmɛlənkɑlɪ
Melbourne	ˈmɛlbən, ˈmɛlbɔn	ˈmɛlbən, ˈmɛlboən
melodious	mɪˈloʊdjəs	
melody	†ˈmɛlədɪ	
melodies	†ˈmɛlədɪz	
melon	ˈmɛlən	
melons	ˈmɛlənz	
melt	mɛlt	

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melts	mɛlts	
melted	ˈmɛltɪd	
melting	ˈmɛltɪŋ	
member	ˈmɛmbə(r	ˈmɛmbə
members	ˈmɛmbəz	ˈmɛmbəz
memorable	†ˈmɛmərəb|	
memorize	†ˈmɛməraɪz	
memorizes	†ˈmɛməraɪzɪz	
memorized	†ˈmɛməraɪzd	
memorizing	†ˈmɛməraɪzɪŋ	
memory	†ˈmɛmərɪ	
memories	†ˈmɛmərɪz	
MEN, *plur. of* man	mɛn	
menagerie	mɪˈnæʤərɪ mɪˈnɑˑʤərɪ	
menageries	mɪˈnæʤərɪz mɪˈnɑˑʤərɪz	
mend	mɛnd	
mends	mɛndz	
mended	ˈmɛndɪd	
mending	ˈmɛndɪŋ	
MEN-OF-WAR, *plur. of* man-of-war	ˈmɛnəvˈwɔə(r	ˈmɛnəvˈwɔə
mental	ˈmɛnt|	
mentally	ˈmɛntəlɪ	
mentality	mɛnˈtælɪtɪ	
mention	ˈmɛnʃən	ˈmɛnʧən
mentions	ˈmɛnʃənz	ˈmɛnʧənz
mentioned	ˈmɛnʃənd	ˈmɛnʧənd
mentioning	ˈmɛnʃənɪŋ	ˈmɛnʧənɪŋ
mercenary	ˈməˑsɪnərɪ	ˈməəsɪnɛrɪ
merchant	ˈməˑʧənt	ˈməəʧənt
merchants	ˈməˑʧənts	ˈməəʧənts
merciful	ˈməˑsɪful	ˈməəsɪful
mercifully	ˈməˑsɪfulɪ, ˈməˑsɪfəlɪ	ˈməəsɪfulɪ, ˈməəsɪfəlɪ
merciless	ˈməˑsɪlɪs	ˈməəsɪlɪs
mercilessly	ˈməˑsɪlɪslɪ	ˈməəsɪlɪslɪ
mercury	ˈməˑkjʊrɪ, ˈməˑkjərɪ	ˈməəkjʊrɪ, ˈməəkjərɪ
mercy	ˈməˑsɪ	ˈməəsɪ
mercies	ˈməˑsɪz	ˈməəsɪz
mere	mɪə(r	mɪə
merest	mɪərɪst	ˈmɪˑrɪst
merely	ˈmɪəlɪ	ˈmɪəlɪ
meridian	mɪˈrɪdɪən, mɪˈrɪdjən	

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meridians	mɪ'rɪdɪənz	
	mɪ'rɪdjənz	
merit	'mɛrɪt	
merits	'mɛrɪts	
merry	'mɛrɪ	
merrier	'mɛrɪə(r	'mɛrɪə
merriest	'mɛrɪɪst	
merrily	'mɛrɪlɪ	
mess	mɛs	
messes	'mɛsɪz	
message	'mɛsɪʤ	
messages	'mɛsɪʤɪz	
messenger	'mɛsɪnʤə(r	'mɛsɪnʤə
messengers	'mɛsɪnʤəz	'mɛsɪnʤəz
Messrs.	'mɛsəz, 'mɛsjəz	'mɛsəz
messy	'mɛsɪ	
MET *from* meet	mɛt	
metal	'mɛtl̩	
metals	'mɛtl̩z	
metallic	mɪ'tælɪk	
metaphor	'mɛtəfə(r	'mɛtəfə
metaphors	'mɛtəfəz	'mɛtəfəz
metaphoric	mɛtə'fɒrɪk	
metaphorically	mɛtə'fɒrɪkəlɪ	
meter	'miːtə(r	'miːtə
meters	'miːtəz	'miːtəz
method	'mɛθəd	
methods	'mɛθədz	
methodical	mɪ'θɒdɪkəl	mɪ'θɑdɪkl̩
methodically	mɪ'θɒdɪkəlɪ	mɪ'θɑdɪkəlɪ
methodist	'mɛθədɪst	
methodists	'mɛθədɪsts	
metre	'miːtə(r	'miːtə
metres	'miːtəz	'miːtəz
metric	'mɛtrɪk	
Mexican	'mɛksɪkən	
Mexicans	'mɛksɪkənz	
Mexico	'mɛksɪkoʊ	
MICE, *plur. of* mouse	maɪs	
Michael	'maɪkəl	
Michigan	'mɪʃɪgən	
microbe	'maɪkroʊb	
microbes	'maɪkroʊbz	
microscope	'maɪkrəskoʊp	
microscopes	'maɪkrəskoʊps	
microscopic	maɪkrəs'kɒpɪk	maɪkrəs'kɑpɪk
microscopically	maɪkrəs'kɒpɪkəlɪ	maɪkrəs'kɑpɪkəlɪ

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mid-, *prefix*	mɪd	
mid-day	ˈmɪddeɪ	
middle	ˈmɪdl̩	
middles	ˈmɪdl̩z	
middle-aged	ˈmɪdl̩ˈeɪʤd	
midnight	ˈmɪdnaɪt	
midsummer	ˈmɪdsʌmə(r	ˈmɪdsʌmə
midway	ˈmɪdˈweɪ	
MIGHT *from* may	maɪt	
MIGHTN'T *from* may	ˈmaɪtn̩t	
mightily	ˈmaɪtɪlɪ	
mighty	ˈmaɪtɪ	
mightier	ˈmaɪtɪə(r	ˈmaɪtɪə
mightiest	ˈmaɪtɪɪst	
mild	maɪld	
milder	ˈmaɪldə(r	ˈmaɪldə
mildest	ˈmaɪldɪst	
mildew	ˈmɪldju	
mildews	ˈmɪldjuz	
mildewed	ˈmɪldjud	
mildewing	ˈmɪldjuɪŋ	
mildly	ˈmaɪldlɪ	
mildness	ˈmaɪldnɪs	
mile	maɪl	
miles	maɪlz	
militarism	ˈmɪlɪtərɪzɪm̩	
militarist	ˈmɪlɪtərɪst	
militarists	ˈmɪlɪtərɪsts	
military	ˈmɪlɪtərɪ	ˈmɪlɪtɛrɪ
milk	mɪlk	
mill	mɪl	
mills	mɪlz	
miller	ˈmɪlə(r	ˈmɪlə
millers	ˈmɪləz	ˈmɪləz
million	ˈmɪljən	
millions	ˈmɪljənz	
millionaire	ˈmɪljəˈnɛə(r	ˈmɪljəˈnɛə
millionaires	ˈmɪljəˈnɛəz	ˈmɪljəˈnɛəz
millionth	ˈmɪljənθ	
millionths	ˈmɪljənθs	
mimic	ˈmɪmɪk	
mimics	ˈmɪmɪks	
mimicked	ˈmɪmɪkt	
mimicking	ˈmɪmɪkɪŋ	
mimicry	ˈmɪmɪkrɪ	
mind	maɪnd	
minds	maɪndz	

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minded	ˈmaɪndɪd	
minding	ˈmaɪndɪŋ	
mindful	ˈmaɪndfʊl	
mine	maɪn	
mines	maɪnz	
mined	maɪnd	
mining	ˈmaɪnɪŋ	
miner	ˈmaɪnə(r	ˈmaɪnə
miners	ˈmaɪnəz	ˈmaɪnəz
mineral	ˈmɪnərəl	
minerals	ˈmɪnərəlz	
minimum	ˈmɪnɪməm	
minima	ˈmɪnɪmə	
minister	ˈmɪnɪstə(r	ˈmɪnɪstə
ministers	ˈmɪnɪstəz	ˈmɪnɪstəz
ministry	ˈmɪnɪstrɪ	
ministries	ˈmɪnɪstrɪz	
minor	ˈmaɪnə(r	ˈmaɪnə
minority	mɪˈnɒrɪtɪ, maɪˈnɒrɪtɪ	
minorities	mɪˈnɒrɪtɪz	
	maɪˈnɒrɪtɪz	
minus	ˈmaɪnəs	
minute, *noun*	ˈmɪnɪt	
minutes	ˈmɪnɪts	
minute, *adj.*	maɪˈnjuːt, mɪˈnjuːt	
minutest	maɪˈnjuːtɪst	
	mɪˈnjuːtɪst	
minutely	maɪˈnjuːtlɪ, mɪˈnjuːtlɪ	
minuteness	maɪˈnjuːtnɪs	
	mɪˈnjuːtnɪs	
miracle	ˈmɪrək|, ˈmɪrɪk|	
miracles	ˈmɪrək|z, ˈmɪrɪk|z	
miraculous	maɪˈrækjʊləs	
	mɪˈrækjʊləs	
miraculously	maɪˈrækjʊləslɪ	
	mɪˈrækjʊləslɪ	
mirror	ˈmɪrə(r	ˈmɪrə
mirrors	ˈmɪrəz	ˈmɪrəz
mis-, *prefix*	mɪs-	
misbehave	ˈmɪsbɪˈheɪv	
misbehaves	ˈmɪsbɪˈheɪvz	
misbehaved	ˈmɪsbɪˈheɪvd	
misbehaving	ˈmɪsbɪˈheɪvɪŋ	
miscalculate	ˈmɪsˈkælkjʊleɪt	
miscalculates	ˈmɪsˈkælkjʊleɪts	
miscalculated	ˈmɪsˈkælkjʊleɪtɪd	
miscalculating	ˈmɪsˈkælkjʊleɪtɪŋ	

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miscalculation	ˈmɪskælkjuˈleɪʃən	
miscalculations	ˈmɪskælkjuˈleɪʃənz	
miscellaneous	mɪsəˈleɪnjəs	
	mɪsɪˈleɪnjəs	
mischief	ˈmɪstʃɪf	
mischievous	ˈmɪstʃɪvəs	
mischievously	ˈmɪstʃɪvəslɪ	
misconception	ˈmɪskənˈsɛpʃən	
misconceptions	ˈmɪskənˈsɛpʃənz	
misconduct, *noun*	ˈmɪsˈkɒndəkt	ˈmɪsˈkɑndəkt
miser	ˈmaɪzə(r	ˈmaɪzə
misers	ˈmaɪzəz	ˈmaɪzəz
miserly	ˈmaɪzəlɪ	ˈmaɪzəlɪ
miserable	ˈmɪzərəbl̩	
miserably	ˈmɪzərəblɪ	
misery	ˈmɪzərɪ	
misfortune	mɪsˈfɔːtʃən	mɪsˈfɔətʃən
misfortunes	mɪsˈfɔːtʃənz	mɪsˈfɔətʃənz
misgovern	ˈmɪsˈgʌvən	ˈmɪsˈgʌvən
misgoverns	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənz	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənz
misgoverned	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənd	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənd
misgoverning	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənɪŋ	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənɪŋ
misgovernment	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənmənt	ˈmɪsˈgʌvənmənt
misguided, *adj.*	ˈmɪsˈgaɪdɪd	
misinform	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔːm	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔəm
misinforms	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔːmz	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔəmz
misinformed	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔːmd	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔəmd
misinforming	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔːmɪŋ	ˈmɪsɪnˈfɔəmɪŋ
misinterpret	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəːprɪt	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəəprɪt
misinterprets	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəːprɪts	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəəprɪts
misinterpreted	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəːprɪtɪd	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəəprɪtɪd
misinterpreting	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəːprɪtɪŋ	ˈmɪsɪnˈtəəprɪtɪŋ
misinterpretation	ˈmɪsɪntəprɪˈteɪʃən	ˈmɪsɪntəəprɪˈteɪʃən
misinterpretations	ˈmɪsɪntəprɪˈteɪʃənz	ˈmɪsɪntəəprɪˈteɪʃənz
mislay	ˈmɪsˈleɪ	
mislays	ˈmɪsˈleɪz	
mislaid	ˈmɪsˈleɪd	
mislaying	ˈmɪsˈleɪɪŋ	
mislead	ˈmɪsˈliːd	
misleads	ˈmɪsˈliːdz	
misled	ˈmɪsˈlɛd	
misleading	ˈmɪsˈliːdɪŋ	
mismanage	ˈmɪsˈmænɪʤ	
mismanages	ˈmɪsˈmænɪʤɪz	
mismanaged	ˈmɪsˈmænɪʤd	
mismanaging	ˈmɪsˈmænɪʤɪŋ	
mismanagement	ˈmɪsˈmænɪʤmənt	

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misprint	ˈmɪsˈprɪnt	
misprints	ˈmɪsˈprɪnts	
mispronounce	ˈmɪsprəˈnaʊns	
mispronounces	ˈmɪsprəˈnaʊnsɪz	
mispronounced	ˈmɪsprəˈnaʊnst	
mispronouncing	ˈmɪsprəˈnaʊnsɪŋ	
mispronunciation	ˈmɪsprənʌnsɪˈeɪʃən	
mispronunciations	ˈmɪsprənʌnsɪˈeɪʃənz	
misread	ˈmɪsˈriːd	
misreads	ˈmɪsˈriːdz	
misread	ˈmɪsˈrɛd	
misreading	ˈmɪsˈriːdɪŋ	
misrepresent	ˈmɪsrɛprɪˈzɛnt	
misrepresents	ˈmɪsrɛprɪˈzɛnts	
misrepresented	ˈmɪsrɛprɪˈzɛntɪd	
misrepresenting	ˈmɪsrɛprɪˈzɛntɪŋ	
misrepresentation	ˈmɪsrɛprɪzɛnˈteɪʃən ˈmɪsrɛprɪzənˈteɪʃən	
misrepresentations	ˈmɪsrɛprɪzɛnˈteɪʃənz ˈmɪsrɛprɪzənˈteɪʃənz	
Miss	mɪs *s.f.*, mɪs *w.f.*	
miss	mɪs	
misses	ˈmɪsɪz	
missed	ˈmɪst	
missing, *adj.*	ˈmɪsɪŋ	
mission	ˈmɪʃən	
missions	ˈmɪʃənz	
missionary	ˈmɪʃənərɪ	ˈmɪʃənɛrɪ
missionaries	ˈmɪʃənərɪz	ˈmɪʃənɛrɪz
misspell	ˈmɪsˈspɛl	
misspells	ˈmɪsˈspɛlz	
misspelled	ˈmɪsˈspɛlt	
misspelt	ˈmɪsˈspɛlt	
misspelling	ˈmɪsˈspɛlɪŋ	
misspellings	ˈmɪsˈspɛlɪŋz	
mist	mɪst	
mists	mɪsts	
mistake	mɪsˈteɪk	
mistakes	mɪsˈteɪks	
mistook	mɪsˈtʊk	
mistaken	mɪsˈteɪkən	
mistaking	mɪsˈteɪkɪŋ	
mistakenly	mɪsˈteɪkənlɪ	
mistranslate	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪt ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪt	ˈmɪstransˈleɪt
mistranslates	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪts ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪts	ˈmɪstransˈleɪts

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mistranslated	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪtɪd ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪtɪd	ˈmɪstransˈleɪtɪd
mistranslating	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪtɪŋ ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪtɪŋ	ˈmɪstransˈleɪtɪŋ
mistranslation	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪʃən ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪʃən	ˈmɪstransˈleɪʃən
mistranslations	ˈmɪstrɑnsˈleɪʃənz ˈmɪstrænsˈleɪʃənz	ˈmɪstransˈleɪʃənz
mistress	ˈmɪstrɪs	
mistresses	ˈmɪstrɪsɪz	
mistrust	ˈmɪsˈtrʌst	
mistrusts	ˈmɪsˈtrʌsts	
mistrusted	ˈmɪsˈtrʌstɪd	
mistrusting	ˈmɪsˈtrʌstɪŋ	
misty	ˈmɪstɪ	
misunderstand	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstænd	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstænd
misunderstands	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændz	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændz
misunderstood	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstʊd	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstʊd
misunderstanding	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændɪŋ	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændɪŋ
misunderstandings	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændɪŋz	ˈmɪsʌndəˈstændɪŋz
misuse, *noun*	ˈmɪsˈjuːs	
misuse, *verb*	ˈmɪsˈjuːz	
misuses	ˈmɪsˈjuːzɪz	
misused	ˈmɪsˈjuːzd	
misusing	ˈmɪsˈjuːzɪŋ	
mix	mɪks	
mixes	ˈmɪksɪz	
mixed	mɪkst	
mixing	ˈmɪksɪŋ	
mixture	ˈmɪkstʃə(r	ˈmɪkstʃə
mixtures	ˈmɪkstʃəz	ˈmɪkstʃəz
mob	mɒb	mɑb
mobs	mɒbz	mɑbz
mobilization	moʊbɪlaɪˈzeɪʃən	
mobilizations	moʊbɪlaɪˈzeɪʃənz	
mobilize	ˈmoʊbɪlaɪz	
mobilizes	ˈmoʊbɪlaɪzɪz	
mobilized	ˈmoʊbɪlaɪzd	
mobilizing	ˈmoʊbɪlaɪzɪŋ	
mock	mɒk	mɑk
mocks	mɒks	mɑks
mocked	mɒkt	mɑkt
mocking	ˈmɒkɪŋ	ˈmɑkɪŋ
mockery	ˈmɒkərɪ	ˈmɑkərɪ
model	ˈmɒdl̩	ˈmɑdl̩
models	ˈmɒdl̩z	ˈmɑdl̩z
modelled	ˈmɒdl̩d	ˈmɑdl̩d

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modelling	ˈmɒdl̩ɪŋ	ˈmadl̩ɪŋ
moderate, *adj.*	ˈmɒdərɪt	ˈmadərɪt
moderate, *verb*	ˈmɒdəreɪt	ˈmadəreɪt
moderates	ˈmɒdəreɪts	ˈmadəreɪts
moderated	ˈmɒdəreɪtɪd	ˈmadəreɪtɪd
moderating	ˈmɒdəreɪtɪŋ	ˈmadəreɪtɪŋ
moderately	ˈmɒdərɪtlɪ	ˈmadərɪtlɪ
moderation	mɒdəˈreɪʃən	madəˈreɪʃən
modern	ˈmɒdən	ˈmadən
modest	ˈmɒdɪst	ˈmadɪst
modestly	ˈmɒdɪstlɪ	ˈmadɪstlɪ
modesty	ˈmɒdɪstɪ	ˈmadɪstɪ
modification	mɒdɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	madɪfɪˈkeɪʃən
modifications	mɒdɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	madɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz
modify	ˈmɒdɪfaɪ	ˈmadɪfaɪ
modifies	ˈmɒdɪfaɪz	ˈmadɪfaɪz
modified	ˈmɒdɪfaɪd	ˈmadɪfaɪd
modifying	ˈmɒdɪfaɪɪŋ	ˈmadɪfaɪɪŋ
modifier	ˈmɒdɪfaɪə(r	ˈmadɪfaɪə
modifiers	ˈmɒdɪfaɪəz	ˈmadɪfaɪəz
Mohammedan	məˈhɒmɪdən moʊˈhæmɪdən	
Mohammedans	məˈhɒmɪdənz moʊˈhæmɪdənz	
moist	mɔɪst	
moister	ˈmɔɪstə(r	ˈmɔɪstə
moistest	ˈmɔɪstɪst	
moisten	ˈmɔɪsn̩	
moistens	ˈmɔɪsn̩z	
moistened	ˈmɔɪsn̩d	
moistening	ˈmɔɪsnɪŋ, ˈmɔɪsn̩ɪŋ	
moistness	ˈmɔɪstnɪs	
moisture	ˈmɔɪstʃə(r	ˈmɔɪstʃə
mold, *Amer.*	moʊld	
molds	moʊldz	
molded	ˈmoʊldɪd	
molding	ˈmoʊldɪŋ	
moldy (*Amer.*)	ˈmoʊldɪ	
molecule	ˈmoʊlɪkjʊl, ˈmɒlɪkjʊl	ˈmalɪkjʊl
molecules	ˈmoʊlɪkjʊlz ˈmɒlɪkjʊlz	ˈmalɪkjʊlz
moment	ˈmoʊmənt	
moments	ˈmoʊmənts	
monarch	ˈmɒnək	ˈmanək
monarchs	ˈmɒnəks	ˈmanəks
monarchy	ˈmɒnəkɪ	ˈmanəkɪ
monarchies	ˈmɒnəkɪz	ˈmanəkɪz

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monastery	ˈmɒnəstrɪ	ˈmɑnəstɛrɪ
monasteries	ˈmɒnəstrɪz	ˈmɑnəstɛrɪz
Monday	ˈmʌndɪ	
Mondays	ˈmʌndɪz	
money	ˈmʌnɪ	
Mongolia	mɒŋˈgoʊljə	mɑŋˈgoʊljə
	mɒŋˈgoʊlɪə	mɑŋˈgoʊlɪə
Mongolian	mɒŋˈgoʊljən	mɑŋˈgoʊljən
	mɑŋˈgoʊlɪən	mɑŋˈgoʊlɪən
monk	mʌŋk	
monks	mʌŋks	
monkey	ˈmʌŋkɪ	
monkeys	ˈmʌŋkɪz	
monopolize	məˈnɒpəlaɪz	məˈnɑpəlaɪz
monopolizes	məˈnɒpəlaɪzɪz	məˈnɑpəlaɪzɪz
monopolized	məˈnɒpəlaɪzd	məˈnɑpəlaɪzd
monopolizing	məˈnɒpəlaɪzɪŋ	məˈnɑpəlaɪzɪŋ
monopoly	məˈnɒpəlɪ	məˈnɑpəlɪ
monopolies	məˈnɒpəlɪz	məˈnɑpəlɪz
monosyllabic	ˈmɒnəsɪˈlæbɪk	ˈmɑnəsɪˈlæbɪk
monosyllable	ˈmɒnəsɪləbḷ	ˈmɑnəsɪləbḷ
monosyllables	ˈmɒnəsɪləbḷz	ˈmɑnəsɪləbḷz
monotonous	məˈnɒtənəs	məˈnɑtənəs
monotonously	məˈnɒtənəslɪ	məˈnɑtənəslɪ
monotony	məˈnɒtənɪ	məˈnɑtənɪ
monster	ˈmɒnstə(r	ˈmɑnstə
monsters	ˈmɒnstəz	ˈmɑnstəz
monstrosity	mɒnsˈtrɒsɪtɪ	mɑnsˈtrɑsɪtɪ
monstrosities	mɒnsˈtrɒsɪtɪz	mɑnsˈtrɑsɪtɪz
monstrous	ˈmɒnstrəs	ˈmɑnstrəs
month	mʌnθ	
months	mʌnθs	
monthly	ˈmʌnθlɪ	
Montreal	mɒntrɪˈɔˑl	mɑntrɪˈɔˑl
monument	ˈmɒnjʊmənt	
	ˈmɒnjəmənt	
monuments	ˈmɒnjʊmənts	
	ˈmɒnjəmənts	
mood	muˑd	
moods	muˑdz	
moon	muˑn	
moonlight	ˈmuˑnlaɪt	
moor	mɔə(r, mɔˑ(r, mʊə(r	mʊə
moors	mɔəz, mɔˑz, mʊəz	mʊəz
moored	mɔəd, mɔˑd, mʊəd	mʊəd
mooring	ˈmɔərɪŋ, ˈmɔˑrɪŋ	ˈmuˑrɪŋ
	ˈmʊərɪŋ	

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moral	ˈmɒrəl	
morality	†məˈrælɪtɪ	
morally	ˈmɒrəlɪ	
morals	ˈmɒrəlz	
morbid	ˈmɔːbɪd	ˈmɔəbɪd
more	mɔː(r, mɔə(r	moə
moreover	mɔːrouvə(r	mouˈrouvə
morning	ˈmɔːnɪŋ	ˈmɔənɪŋ
mornings	ˈmɔːnɪŋz	ˈmɔənɪŋz
Morocco	məˈrɒkou	məˈrɑkou
mortal	ˈmɔːtl̩	ˈmɔətl̩
mortals	ˈmɔːtl̩z	ˈmɔətl̩z
mortality	mɔːtælɪtɪ	mɔəˈtælɪtɪ
mortally	ˈmɔːtəlɪ	ˈmɔətəlɪ
mortified	ˈmɔːtɪfaɪd	ˈmɔətɪfaɪd
Moscow	ˈmɒskou	ˈmɑskou
mosquito	məsˈkiːtou	
	mɒsˈkiːtou	
mosquitoes	məsˈkiːtouz	
	mɒsˈkiːtouz	
moss	mɒs	
most	moust	
mostly	ˈmousl̩ɪ	
moth	mɒθ, mɔθ	
moths	mɒθs, mɔθs, mɔːðz	
mother	ˈmʌðə(r	ˈmʌðə
mothers	ˈmʌðəz	ˈmʌðəz
mother-in-law	ˈmʌðərɪnlɔ	
mother-in-laws *or*	ˈmʌðərɪnlɔz	
mothers-in-law	ˈmʌðəzɪnlɔ	ˈmʌðəzɪnlɔ
motion	ˈmouʃən	
motions	ˈmouʃənz	
motive	ˈmoutɪv	
motives	ˈmoutɪvz	
motor	ˈmoutə(r	ˈmoutə
motors	ˈmoutəz	ˈmoutəz
motor-car	ˈmoutəkɑ(r	ˈmoutəkɑə
motor-cars	ˈmoutəkɑz	ˈmoutəkɑəz
motto	ˈmɒtou	ˈmɑtou
mottos	ˈmɒtouz	ˈmɑtouz
mould	mould	
moulds	mouldz	
moulded	ˈmouldɪd	
moulding	ˈmouldɪŋ	
mouldy	ˈmouldɪ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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mount	maʊnt	
mounts	maʊnts	
mounted	ˈmaʊntɪd	
mounting	ˈmaʊntɪŋ	
mountain	ˈmaʊntɪn	
mountains	ˈmaʊntɪnz	
mountainous	ˈmaʊntɪnəs	
mourn	mɔˑn, mɔən	moən
mourns	mɔˑnz, mɔənz	moənz
mourned	mɔˑnd, mɔənd	moənd
mourning	ˈmɔˑnɪŋ, ˈmɔənɪŋ	ˈmoənɪŋ
mourner	ˈmɔˑnə(r, ˈmɔənə(r	ˈmoənə
mourners	ˈmɔˑnəz, ˈmɔənəz	ˈmoənəz
mouse	maʊs	
mice	maɪs	
moustache	məsˈtɑˑʃ, mʊsˈtɑˑʃ	məsˈtaˑʃ, mʊsˈtaˑʃ
moustaches	məsˈtɑˑʃɪz	məsˈtaˑʃɪz
	mʊsˈtɑˑʃɪz	mʊsˈtaˑʃɪz
mouth	maʊθ	
mouths	maʊðz	
mouthful	ˈmaʊθfʊl	
mouthfuls	ˈmaʊθfʊlz	
movable	ˈmuˑvəbl̩	
move	muˑv	
moves	muˑvz	
moved	muˑvd	
moving	ˈmuˑvɪŋ	
movement	ˈmuˑvmənt	
movements	ˈmuˑvmənts	
Mr.	ˈmɪstə(r	ˈmɪstə
Mrs.	ˈmɪsɪz	
much	mʌtʃ	
mud	mʌd	
muddle	ˈmʌdl̩	
muddles	ˈmʌdl̩z	
muddled	ˈmʌdl̩d	
muddling	ˈmʌdlɪŋ, ˈmʌdl̩ɪŋ	
muddy	ˈmʌdɪ	
mule	mjuˑl	
mules	mjuˑlz	
multiple	ˈmʌltɪpl̩	
multiples	ˈmʌltɪpl̩z	
multiplication	mʌltɪplɪˈkeɪʃən	
multiply	ˈmʌltɪplaɪ	
multiplies	ˈmʌltɪplaɪz	
multiplied	ˈmʌltɪplaɪd	
multiplying	ˈmʌltɪplaɪɪŋ	

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mumble	ˈmʌmbl̩	
mumbles	ˈmʌmbl̩z	
mumbled	ˈmʌmbl̩d	
mumbling	ˈmʌmblɪŋ	
	ˈmʌmbl̩ɪŋ	
mummy	ˈmʌmɪ	
mummies	ˈmʌmɪz	
municipal	mjuˈnɪsɪpəl	
murder	ˈmɜːdə(r	ˈmɜ̈ədə
murders	ˈmɜːdəz	ˈmɜ̈ədəz
murdered	ˈmɜːdəd	ˈmɜ̈ədəd
murdering	ˈmɜːdərɪŋ	ˈmɜ̈ədərɪŋ
murderer	ˈmɜːdərə(r	ˈmɜ̈ədərə
murderers	ˈmɜːdərəz	ˈmɜ̈ədərəz
murmur	ˈmɜːmə(r	ˈmɜ̈əmə
murmurs	ˈmɜːməz	ˈmɜ̈əməz
murmured	ˈmɜːmənd	ˈmɜ̈əmənd
murmuring	ˈmɜːmərɪŋ	ˈmɜ̈əmərɪŋ
muscle	ˈmʌsl̩	
muscles	ˈmʌsl̩z	
muscular	ˈmʌskjʊlə(r	ˈmʌskjʊlə
	ˈmʌskjələ(r	ˈmʌskjələ
museum	mjuˈziːəm	
	mjuˈzɪəm	
museums	mjuˈziːəmz	
	mjuˈzɪəmz	
mushroom	ˈmʌʃrʊm	
mushrooms	ˈmʌʃrʊmz	
music	ˈmjuːzɪk	
musical	ˈmjuːzɪkəl	
musically	ˈmjuːzɪkəlɪ	
musician	mjuˈzɪʃən	
musicians	mjuˈzɪʃənz	
muslin	ˈmʌzlɪn	
must	mʌst *s.f.*,	
	məs*t*, ms*t* *w.fs.*	
mustn't	ˈmʌsn̩*t*	
mustard	ˈmʌstəd	ˈmʌstəd
mutton	ˈmʌtn̩	
mutual	ˈmjuːtjʊəl	
mutually	ˈmjuːtjʊəlɪ	
muzzle	ˈmʌzl̩	
muzzles	ˈmʌzl̩z	
muzzled	ˈmʌzl̩d	
muzzling	ˈmʌzlɪŋ, ˈmʌzl̩ɪŋ	
my	maɪ *s.f.*,	
	mɪ *occ. w.f.*	

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myself	maɪ'sɛlf *s.f.*	
	mɪ'sɛlf *w.f.*	
mysterious	mɪs'tɪərɪəs	mɪs'tɪ·rɪəs
mysteriously	mɪs'tɪərɪəslɪ	mɪs'tɪ·rɪəslɪ
mystery	'mɪstərɪ	
mysteries	'mɪstərɪz	
myth	mɪθ, maɪθ	
myths	mɪθs, maɪθs	

N

N	ɛn	
N's	ɛnz	
nail	neɪl	
nails	neɪlz	
nailed	neɪld	
nailing	'neɪlɪŋ	
naked	'neɪkɪd	
name	neɪm	
names	neɪmz	
named	neɪmd	
naming	'neɪmɪŋ	
nameless	'neɪmlɪs	
namely	'neɪmlɪ	
napkin	'næpkɪn	
napkins	'næpkɪnz	
narrative	'nærətɪv	
narratives	'nærətɪvz	
narrow	'nærou	
narrower	'nærouə(r	'nærouə
narrowest	'nærouɪst	
narrows	'nærouz	
narrowed	'næroud	
narrowing	'nærouɪŋ	
narrowly	'nærouli	
narrow-minded	'nærou'maɪndɪd	
narrowness	'nærounɪs	
nasal	'neɪzəl	
nasty	'nɑ·stɪ	'na·stɪ
nastier	'nɑ·stɪə(r	'na·stɪə
nastiest	'nɑ·stɪɪst	'na·stɪɪst
nastily	'nɑ·stɪlɪ	'na·stɪlɪ
nastiness	'nɑ·stɪnɪs	'na·stɪnɪs
nation	'neɪʃən	
nations	'neɪʃənz	
national	'næʃən|	

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nationally	ˈnæʃn̩əlɪ	
nationalism	ˈnæʃənəlɪzm̩	
nationality	næʃəˈnælɪtɪ	
nationalities	næʃəˈnælɪtɪz	
native	ˈneɪtɪv	
natives	ˈneɪtɪvz	
natural	ˈnætʃərəl	
naturally	ˈnætʃərəlɪ	
naturalist	ˈnætʃurəlɪst ˈnætʃərəlɪst	
naturalists	ˈnætʃurəlɪsts ˈnætʃərəlɪsts	
naturalization	nætʃurəlaɪˈzeɪʃən nætʃərəlaɪˈzeɪʃən	
naturalize	ˈnætʃurəlaɪz ˈnætʃərəlaɪz	
naturalizes	ˈnætʃurəlaɪzɪz ˈnætʃərəlaɪzɪz	
naturalized	ˈnætʃurəlaɪzd ˈnætʃərəlaɪzd	
naturalizing	ˈnætʃurəlaɪzɪŋ ˈnætʃərəlaɪzɪŋ	
nature	ˈneɪtʃə(r	ˈneɪtʃə
natures	ˈneɪtʃəz	ˈneɪtʃəz
naught	nɔˑt	
naughts	nɔˑts	
naughty	ˈnɔˑtɪ	
naughtier	ˈnɔˑtɪə(r	ˈnɔˑtɪə
naughtiest	ˈnɔˑtɪɪst	
naughtily	ˈnɔˑtɪlɪ	
naughtiness	ˈnɔˑtɪnɪs	
nautical	ˈnɔˑtɪkəl	
naval	ˈneɪvəl	
navigable	ˈnævɪgəb̩l	
navigate	ˈnævɪgeɪt	
navigates	ˈnævɪgeɪts	
navigated	ˈnævɪgeɪtɪd	
navigating	ˈnævɪgeɪtɪŋ	
navigation	nævɪˈgeɪʃən	
navigator	ˈnævɪgeɪtə(r	ˈnævɪgeɪtə
navigators	ˈneɪvɪgeɪtəz	ˈnævɪgeɪtəz
navy	ˈneɪvɪ	
navies	ˈneɪvɪz	
near	nɪə(r	nɪə
nearer	ˈnɪərə(r	ˈnɪˑrə˺
nearest	ˈnɪərɪst	ˈnɪˑrɪst
nears	nɪəz	nɪəz

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neared	nɪəd	nɪəd
nearing	ˈnɪərɪŋ	ˈnɪ·rɪŋ
nearly	ˈnɪəlɪ	ˈnɪəlɪ
nearness	ˈnɪənɪs	ˈnɪənɪs
near-sighted	ˈnɪəˈsaɪtɪd	ˈnɪəˈsaɪtɪd
neat	ni·t	
neater	ˈni·tə(r	ˈni·tə
neatest	ˈni·tɪst	
neatly	ˈni·tlɪ	
neatness	ˈni·tnɪs	
necessarily	ˈnɛsɪsərɪlɪ, ˈnɛsəsərɪlɪ	
	ˈnɛsɪsɛrɪlɪ	
necessary	ˈnɛsɪsərɪ, ˈnɛsəsərɪ	
	ˈnɛsɪsɛrɪ	
necessaries	ˈnɛsɪsərɪz, ˈnɛsəsərɪz	
	ˈnɛsɪsɛrɪz	
necessitate	nɪˈsɛsɪteɪt	
necessitates	nɪˈsɛsɪteɪts	
necessitated	nɪˈsɛsɪteɪtɪd	
necessitating	nɪˈsɛsɪteɪtɪŋ	
necessity	nɪˈsɛsɪtɪ	
necessities	nɪˈsɛsɪtɪz	
neck	nɛk	
necks	nɛks	
necklace	ˈnɛklɪs	
necklaces	ˈnɛklɪsɪz	
neck-tie	ˈnɛktaɪ	
neck-ties	ˈnɛktaɪz	
need	ni·d	
needs	ni·dz	
needed	ˈni·dɪd	
needing	ˈni·dɪŋ	
needn't	ˈni·dn̩t	
needful	ˈni·dful	
needle	ˈni·dl̩	
needles	ˈni·dl̩z	
needless	ˈni·dlɪs	
needlessly	ˈni·dlɪslɪ	
needlework	ˈni·dl̩wɜk	ˈni·dl̩wɜɜk
NEEDN'T *from* need	ˈni·dn̩t	
negative	ˈnɛgətɪv	
negatives	ˈnɛgətɪvz	
negatively	ˈnɛgətɪvlɪ	
neglect	nɪˈglɛkt	
neglects	nɪˈglɛkts	
neglected	nɪˈglɛktɪd	
neglecting	nɪˈglɛktɪŋ	

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neglectful	nɪ'glɛktful	
neglectfully	nɪ'glɛktfulɪ	
	nɪ'glɛktfəlɪ	
negligence	'nɛglɪʤəns	
negligent	'nɛglɪʤənt	
negligently	'nɛglɪʤəntlɪ	
negligible	'nɛglɪʤɪbḷ	
negotiate	nɪ'gouʃɪeɪt	
negotiates	nɪ'gouʃɪeɪts	
negotiated	nɪ'gouʃɪeɪtɪd	
negotiating	nɪ'gouʃɪeɪtɪŋ	
negotiation	nɪgouʃɪ'eɪʃən	
negotiations	nɪgouʃɪ'eɪʃənz	
negress	'ni·grɪs	
negresses	'ni·grɪsɪz	
negro	'ni·grou	
negroes	'ni·grouz	
neighbor (*Amer.*)		
neighbour	'neɪbə(r	'neɪbə
neighbors (*Amer.*)		
neighbours	'neɪbəz	'neɪbəz
neighborhood (*Amer.*)		
neighbourhood	'neɪbəhʊd	'neɪbəhʊd
neighborhoods (*Am.*)		
neighbourhoods	'neɪbəhʊdz	'neɪbəhʊdz
neighborly (*Amer.*)		
neighbourly	'neɪbəlɪ	'neɪbəlɪ
neither	'naɪðə(r, 'ni·ðə(r	'naɪðə, 'ni·ðə
Nellie *or* **Nelly**	'nɛlɪ	
nephew	'nɛvju, 'nɛfju	
nephews	'nɛvjuz, 'nɛfjuz	
nerve	nə·v	nəəv
nerves	nə·vz	nəəvz
nervous	'nə·vəs	'nəəvəs
nervously	'nə·vəslɪ	'nəəvəslɪ
nest	nɛst	
nests	nɛsts	
net	nɛt	
nets	nɛts	
Netherlands	'nɛðələndz	'nɛðələndz
netting	'nɛtɪŋ	
neuralgia	njʊə'rælʤjə	
	njɔə'rælʤjə	
neuter	'nju·tə(r	'nju·tə
neuters	'nju·təz	'nju·təz
neutral	'nju·trəl	
neutrals	'nju·trəlz	

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neutrality	nju'trælɪtɪ	
never	'nɛvə(r	'nɛvə
nevertheless	nɛvəðə'lɛs	'nɛvəðə'lɛs
new	nju:	
newer	'nju:ə(r	'nju:ə
newest	'nju:ɪst	
newly	'nju:lɪ	
newcomer	'nju:'kʌmə(r	'nju:'kʌmə
newcomers	'nju:'kʌməz	'nju:'kʌməz
news, *sing.*	nju:z	
newspaper	'nju:speɪpə(r	'nju:speɪpə
	'nju:zpeɪpə(r	'nju:zpeɪpə
newspapers	'nju:speɪpəz	'nju:speɪpəz
	'nju:zpeɪpəz	'nju:zpeɪpəz
New York	'nju:'jɔ:k	'nju:'jɔək
New Zealand	nju'zi:lənd	
next	nɛkst	
nice	naɪs	
nicer	'naɪsə(r	'naɪsə
nicest	'naɪsɪst	
nicely	'naɪslɪ	
niceness	'naɪsnɪs	
nicety	'naɪsɪtɪ	
niceties	'naɪsɪtɪz	
Nicholas	'nɪkələs	
nickel	'nɪk|l	
nickels	'nɪk|lz	
nickname	'nɪkneɪm	
nicknames	'nɪkneɪmz	
niece	ni:s	
nieces	'ni:sɪz	
night	naɪt	
nights	naɪts	
nightly	'naɪtlɪ	
Nile	naɪl	
nine	naɪn	
nineteen	'naɪn'ti:n	
nineteenth	'naɪn'ti:nθ	
nineteenths	'naɪn'ti:nθs	
ninetieth	'naɪntɪɪθ	
ninetieths	'naɪntɪɪθs	
ninety	'naɪntɪ	
ninth	naɪnθ	
ninths	naɪnθs	
nitrogen	'naɪtrəʤən	
no	nou	
noble	'noub|l	

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nobles	ˈnoʊbl̩z	
nobler	ˈnoʊblə(r	ˈnoʊblə
noblest	ˈnoʊblɪst	
nobleman	ˈnoʊbl̩mən	
noblemen	ˈnoʊbl̩mən	
nobleness	ˈnoʊbl̩nɪs	
nobly	ˈnoʊblɪ	
nobody	ˈnoʊbədɪ, ˈnoʊbɒdɪ	ˈnoʊbadɪ
nod	nɒd	nad
nods	nɒdz	nadz
nodded	ˈnɒdɪd	ˈnadɪd
nodding	ˈnɒdɪŋ	ˈnadɪŋ
noise	nɔɪz	
noises	ˈnɔɪzɪz	
noiseless	ˈnɔɪzlɪs	
noiselessly	ˈnɔɪzlɪslɪ	
noisy	ˈnɔɪzɪ	
noisier	ˈnɔɪzɪə(r	ˈnɔɪzɪə
noisiest	ˈnɔɪzɪst	
noisily	ˈnɔɪzɪlɪ	
nominal	ˈnɒmɪnl̩	ˈnamɪnl̩
nominate	ˈnɒmɪneɪt	ˈnamɪneɪt
nominates	ˈnɒmɪneɪts	ˈnamɪneɪts
nominated	ˈnɒmɪneɪtɪd	ˈnamɪneɪtɪd
nominating	ˈnɒmɪneɪtɪŋ	ˈnamɪneɪtɪŋ
nomination	nɒmɪˈneɪʃən	namɪˈneɪʃən
nominations	nɒmɪˈneɪʃənz	namɪˈneɪʃənz
non, *neg. prefix*	nɒn	nan
none	nʌn	
nonsense	ˈnɒnsəns	ˈnansəns, ˈnansɛns
nonsensical	nɒnˈsɛnsɪkəl	nanˈsɛnsɪkəl
noon	nuːn	
noose	nuːs, nuːz	
nooses	ˈnuːsɪz, ˈnuːzɪz	
nor	nɔː(r *s.f.*, nə(r *w.f.*	nɔə *s.f.*, nə *w.f.*
normal	ˈnɔːməl	ˈnɔəməl
normally	ˈnɔːməlɪ	ˈnɔəɪnəlɪ
north	nɔːθ	nɔəθ
north-east	ˈnɔːθˈiːst	ˈnɔəθˈiːst
northerly	ˈnɔːðəlɪ	ˈnɔəθəlɪ
northern	ˈnɔːðən	ˈnɔəðən
northward	ˈnɔːθwəd	ˈnɔəθwəd
northwards	ˈnɔːθwədz	ˈnɔəθwədz
north-west	ˈnɔːθˈwɛst	ˈnɔəθˈwɛst
Norway	ˈnɔːweɪ	ˈnɔəweɪ
Norwegian	nɔˈwiːʤən	nɔəˈwiːʤən
Norwegians	nɔˈwiːʤənz	nɔəˈwiːʤənz

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nose	nəʊz	
noses	ˈnəʊzɪz	
not	nɒt	nɑt
	nt, *after finites ending in a vowel*	
	n̩t, *after finites ending in a consonant*	
notably	ˈnəʊtəblɪ	
notation	nəʊˈteɪʃən	
notations	nəʊˈteɪʃənz	
note	nəʊt	
notes	nəʊts	
noted	ˈnəʊtɪd	
noting	ˈnəʊtɪŋ	
nothing	ˈnʌθɪŋ	
notice	ˈnəʊtɪs	
notices	ˈnəʊtɪsɪz	
noticed	ˈnəʊtɪst	
noticing	ˈnəʊtɪsɪŋ	
noticeable	ˈnəʊtɪsəbl̩	
notification	nəʊtɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
notifications	nəʊtɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
notify	ˈnəʊtɪfaɪ	
notifies	ˈnəʊtɪfaɪz	
notified	ˈnəʊtɪfaɪd	
notifying	ˈnəʊtɪfaɪɪŋ	
notion	ˈnəʊʃən	
notions	ˈnəʊʃənz	
notorious	nəʊˈtɔːrɪəs	nəʊˈtorɪəs
	nəˈtɔːrɪəs	nəˈtorɪəs
notwithstanding	nɒtwɪθˈstændɪŋ	nɑtwɪθˈstændɪŋ
	nɒtwɪðˈstændɪŋ	
nought	nɔːt	
noughts	nɔːts	
noun	naʊn	
nouns	naʊnz	
nourish	ˈnʌrɪʃ	ˈnərɪʃ
nourishes	ˈnʌrɪʃɪz	ˈnərɪʃɪz
nourished	ˈnʌrɪʃt	ˈnərɪʃt
nourishing	ˈnʌrɪʃɪŋ	ˈnərɪʃɪŋ
nourishment	ˈnʌrɪʃmənt	ˈnərɪʃmənt
novel	ˈnɒvəl	ˈnɑvəl
novels	ˈnɒvəlz	ˈnɑvəlz
novelist	ˈnɒvəlɪst	ˈnɑvəlɪst
novelists	ˈnɒvəlɪsts	ˈnɑvəlɪsts
novelty	ˈnɒvl̩tɪ	ˈnɑvl̩tɪ
novelties	ˈnɒvl̩tɪz	ˈnɑvl̩tɪz

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November	nə'vɛmbə(r	nə'vɛmbə
	nou'vɛmbə(r	nou'vɛmbə
novice	'nɒvɪs	'nɑvɪs
novices	'nɒvɪsɪz	'nɑvɪsɪz
now	naʊ	
nowadays	'naʊədeɪz	
nowhere	'nou*h*weə(r	
N'T = *not*	nt *after a vowel*, n̩t *after a consonant*	
nucleus	'nju·klɪəs	
nuisance	'nju·sn̩s	
nuisances	'nju·sn̩sɪz	
number	'nʌmbə(r	'nʌmbə
numbers	'nʌmbəz	'nʌmbəz
numbered	'nʌmbəd	'nʌmbəd
numbering	'nʌmbərɪŋ	
numeral	'nju·mərəl	
numerals	'nju·mərəlz	
numerical	nju'mɛrɪkəl	
numerous	'nju·mərəs	
nun	nʌn	
nuns	nʌnz	
nurse	nə·s	nəəs
nurses	'nə·sɪz	'nəəsɪz
nursed	nə·st	nəəst
nursing	'nə·sɪŋ	'nəəsɪŋ
nursery	'nə·sərɪ	'nəəsərɪ
nurseries	'nə·sərɪz	'nəəsərɪz
nut	nʌt	
nuts	nʌts	
nutshell	'nʌtʃɛl	
nutshells	'nʌtʃɛlz	

O

O	ou	
O's	ouz	
oak	ouk	
oaks	ouks	
oar	ɔ·(r, ɔə(r	oə
oars	ɔ·z, ɔəz	oəz
oats	outs	
oath	ouθ	
oaths	ouðz, ouθs	
oatmeal	'outmil	

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obdurate	ˈɒbdjʊrɪt, əbˈdjʊərɪt	ˈɑbdjʊrɪt, ˈɑbdjʊreɪt
obdurately	ˈɒbdjʊrɪtlɪ	ˈɑbdjʊrɪtlɪ
	əbˈdjʊərɪtlɪ	ˈɑbdjʊreɪtlɪ
obedience	əˈbiːdɪəns, oʊˈbiːdɪəns	
	əˈbiːdjəns, oʊˈbiːdjəns	
obedient	əˈbiːdɪənt, oʊˈbiːdɪənt	
	əˈbiːdjənt, oʊˈbiːdjənt	
obediently	əˈbiːdjəntlɪ	
	oʊˈbiːdjəntlɪ	
obey	əˈbeɪ, oʊˈbeɪ	
obeys	əˈbeɪz, oʊˈbeɪz	
obeyed	əˈbeɪd, oʊˈbeɪd	
obeying	əˈbeɪŋ, oʊˈbeɪŋ	
object, *noun*	ˈɒbʤɪkt	ˈɑbʤɪkt
objects	ˈɒbʤɪkts	ˈɑbʤɪkts
object, *verb*	†əbˈʤɛkt	
objects	†əbˈʤɛkts	
objected	†əbˈʤɛktɪd	
objecting	†əbˈʤɛktɪŋ	
objection	†əbˈʤɛkʃən	
objections	†əbˈʤɛkʃənz	
objectionable	†əbˈʤɛkʃənəbḷ	
objective	†əbˈʤɛktɪv	
objectively	†əbˈʤɛktɪvlɪ	
objector	†əbˈʤɛktə(r	†əbˈʤɛktə
objectors	†əbˈʤɛktəz	†əbˈʤɛktəz
obligation	ɒblɪˈgeɪʃən	ɑblɪˈgeɪʃən
obligations	ɒblɪˈgeɪʃənz	ɑblɪˈgeɪʃənz
obligatory	ˈɒblɪgətərɪ	ˈɑblɪgətorɪ
	ˈɒblɪgeɪtərɪ	ˈɑblɪgeɪtorɪ
	†əˈblɪgətərɪ	†əˈblɪgətorɪ
oblige	†əˈblaɪʤ	
obliges	†əˈblaɪʤɪz	
obliged	†əˈblaɪʤd	
obliging	†əˈblaɪʤɪŋ	
obligingly	†əˈblaɪʤɪŋlɪ	
oblique	†əˈbliːk	
obliterate	†əˈblɪtəreɪt	
obliterates	†əˈblɪtəreɪts	
obliterated	†əˈblɪtəreɪtɪd	
obliterating	†əˈblɪtəreɪtɪŋ	
oblivious	†əˈblɪvɪəs	
oblong	ˈɒblɒŋ	ˈɑblɔŋ
oblongs	ˈɒblɒŋz	ˈɒblɔŋz
obnoxious	†əbˈnɒkʃəs	†əbˈnɑkʃəs

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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obnoxiously	†əb′nɒkʃəslɪ	†əb′nɑkʃəslɪ
obscene	†əb′siːn	
obscure	†əb′skjʊə(r	†əb′skjʊə
obscurer	†əb′skjʊərə(r	†əb′skjʊːrə
obscurest	†əb′skjʊərɪst	†əb′skjʊːrɪst
obscures	†əb′skjʊəz	†əb′skjʊəz
obscured	†əb′skjʊəd	†əb′skjʊəd
obscuring	†əb′skjʊərɪŋ	†əb′skjʊːrɪŋ
obscurely	†əb′skjʊəlɪ	†əb′skjʊəlɪ
obscurity	†əb′skjʊərɪtɪ	†əb′skjʊːrɪtɪ
observance	†əb′zɜːvəns	†əb′zɜəvəns
observant	†əb′zɜːvənt	†əb′zɜəvənt
observation	ɒbzə′veɪʃən	ɑbzə′veɪʃən
observations	ɒbzə′veɪʃənz	ɑbzə′veɪʃənz
observe	†əb′zɜːv	†əb′zɜəv
observes	†əb′zɜːvz	†əb′zɜəvz
observed	†əb′zɜːvd	†əb′zɜəvd
observing	†əb′zɜːvɪŋ	†əb′zɜəvɪŋ
observer	†əb′zɜːvə(r	†əb′zɜəvə
observers	†əb′zɜːvəz	†əb′zɜəvəz
obsolete	†′ɒbsəliːt	†′ɑbsəliːt
obstacle	′ɒbstəkl̩	′ɑbstəkl̩
obstacles	′ɒbstəkl̩z	′ɑbstəkl̩z
obstinacy	′ɑbstɪnəsɪ	′ɑbstɪnəsɪ
obstinate	′ɒbstɪnɪt	′ɑbstɪnɪt
obstinately	′ɒbstɪnɪtlɪ	′ɑbstɪnɪtlɪ
obstruct	†əb′strʌkt	
obstructs	†əb′strʌkts	
obstructed	†əb′strʌktɪd	
obstructing	†əb′strʌktɪŋ	
obstruction	†əb′strʌkʃən	
obstructions	†əb′strʌkʃənz	
obtain	†əb′teɪn	
obtains	†əb′teɪnz	
obtained	†əb′teɪnd	
obtaining	†əb′teɪnɪŋ	
obtainable	†əb′teɪnəbl̩	
obtuse	†əb′tjuːs	
obviate	′ɒbvɪeɪt	′ɑbvɪeɪt
obviates	′ɒbvɪeɪts	′ɑbvɪeɪts
obviated	′ɒbvɪeɪtɪd	′ɑbvɪeɪtɪd
obviating	′ɒbvɪeɪtɪŋ	′ɑbvɪeɪtɪŋ
obvious	′ɒbvɪəs	′ɑbvɪəs
	′ɒbvjəs	′ɑbvjəs
obviously	ɒbvɪəslɪ, ′ɒbvjəslɪ	′ɑbvɪəslɪ, ′ɑbvjəslɪ

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obviousness	ˈɒbvɪəsnɪs, ˈɒbvjəsnɪs	ˈɑbvɪəsnɪs, ˈɑbvjəsnɪs
occasion	†əˈkeɪʒən	
occasions	†əˈkeɪʒənz	
occasioned	†əˈkeɪʒənd	
occasioning	†əˈkeɪʒənɪŋ	
occasional	†əˈkeɪʒənl	
occasionally	†əˈkeɪʒənəlɪ	
occupant	ˈɒkjʊpənt	ˈɑkjʊpənt
occupants	ˈɒkjʊpənts	ˈɑkjʊpənts
occupation	ɒkjʊˈpeɪʃən	ɑkjʊˈpeɪʃən
occupations	ɒkjʊˈpeɪʃənz	ɑkjʊˈpeɪʃənz
occupy	ˈɒkjʊpaɪ	ˈɑkjʊpaɪ
occupies	ˈɒkjʊpaɪz	ˈɑkjʊpaɪz
occupied	ˈɒkjʊpaɪd	ˈɑkjʊpaɪd
occupying	ˈɒkjʊpaɪɪŋ	ˈɑkjʊpaɪɪŋ
occupier	ˈɒkjʊpaɪə(r	ˈɑkjʊpaɪə
occupiers	ˈɒkjʊpaɪəz	ˈɑkjʊpaɪəz
occur	†əˈkɜː(r	†əˈkɜə
occurs	†əˈkɜːz	†əˈkɜəz
occurred	†əˈkɜːd	†əˈkɜəd
occurring	†əˈkɜːrɪŋ	
occurrence	†əˈkʌrəns, †əˈkɜːrəns	
occurrences	†əˈkʌrənsɪz †əˈkɜːrənsɪz	
ocean	ˈoʊʃən	
oceans	ˈoʊʃənz	
o'clock	†əˈklɒk	†əˈklɑk
October	ɒkˈtoʊbə(r	ɑkˈtoʊbə
oculist	ˈɒkjʊlɪst	ˈɑkjʊlɪst
oculists	ˈɒkjʊlɪsts	ˈɑkjʊlɪsts
odd	ɒd	ɑd
odder	ˈɒdə(r	ˈɑdə
oddest	ˈɒdɪst	ˈɑdɪst
oddly	ˈɒdlɪ	ˈɑdlɪ
oddness	ˈɒdnɪs	ˈɑdnɪs
odds	ɒdz	ɑdz
odor (*Amer.*)		
odour	ˈoʊdə(r	ˈoʊdə
odors (*Amer.*)		
odours	ˈoʊdəz	ˈoʊdəz
odorless (*Amer.*)		
odourless	ˈoʊdəlɪs	ˈoʊdəlɪs
of	ɒv *s.f.*, əv, v *w.fs.*,	ɑv *s.f.*
off	ɔːf, ɔf, ɒf	
offence	†əˈfens	

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offences	†ə′fɛnsɪz	
offend	†ə′fɛnd	
offends	†ə′fɛndz	
offended	†ə′fɛndɪd	
offending	†ə′fɛndɪŋ	
offender	†ə′fɛndə(r	†ə′fɛndə
offenders	†ə′fɛndəz	†ə′fɛndəz
offensive	†ə′fɛnsɪv	
offensively	†ə′fɛnsɪvlɪ	
offer	′ɒfə(r	′ɒfə
offers	′ɒfəz	′ɒfəz
offered	′ɒfəd	′ɒfəd
offering	′ɒfərɪŋ	′ɒfərɪŋ
offerings	′ɒfərɪŋz	′ɒfərɪŋz
off-hand	′ɔːf′hænd	
office	′ɒfɪs	
offices	′ɒfɪsɪz	
officer	′ɒfɪsə(r	′ɑfɪsə
officers	′ɒfɪsəz	′ɑfɪsəz
official	†ə′fɪʃəl	
officials	†ə′fɪʃəlz	
officially	†ə′fɪʃəlɪ	
officiate	†ə′fɪʃɪeɪt	
officiates	†ə′fɪʃɪeɪts	
officiated	†ə′fɪʃɪeɪtɪd	
officiating	†ə′fɪʃɪeɪtɪŋ	
officious	†ə′fɪʃəs	
officiously	†ə′fɪʃəslɪ	
officiousness	†ə′fɪʃəsnɪs	
often	′ɔːfn̩, ′ɔfn̩, ′ɒfn̩	′ɑfn̩
oh	oʊ	
oil	ɔɪl	
oils	ɔɪlz	
oiled	ɔɪld	
oiling	′ɔɪlɪŋ	
oily	′ɔɪlɪ	
ointment	′ɔɪntmənt	
old	oʊld	
older	′oʊldə(r	′oʊldə
oldest	′oʊldɪst	
old-fashioned	′oʊld-fæʃənd	
oldish	′oʊldɪʃ	
omelet(te)	′ɒmlɪt	′ɑməlɪt
omelet(te)s	′ɒmlɪts	′ɑməlɪts
omission	ə′mɪʃən, oʊ′mɪʃən	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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omissions	ə'mɪʃənz, oʊ'mɪʃənz	
omit	ə'mɪt, oʊ'mɪt	
omits	ə'mɪts, oʊ'mɪts	
omitted	ə'mɪtɪd, oʊ'mɪtɪd	
omitting	ə'mɪtɪŋ, oʊ'mɪtɪŋ	
omnibus	'ɒmnɪbəs	'ɑmnɪbəs
omnibuses	'ɒmnɪbəsɪz	'ɑmnɪbəsɪz
omnipotence	ɒm'nɪpətəns	ɑm'nɪpətəns
omnipotent	ɒm'nɪpətənt	ɑm'nɪpətənt
omnipotently	ɒm'nɪpətəntlɪ	ɑm'nɪpətəntlɪ
on	ɒn	ɑn
once	wʌns	
one	wʌn	
ones	wʌnz	
oneself	wʌn'sɛlf	
onesided	'wʌn'saɪdɪd	
onion	'ʌnjən	
onions	'ʌnjənz	
onlooker	'ɒnlʊkə(r	'ɑnlʊkə
onlookers	'ɒnlʊkəz	'ɑnlʊkəz
only	'oʊnlɪ	
onward	'ɒnwəd	'ɑnwəd
onwards	'ɒnwədz	'ɑnwədz
ooze	u·z	
oozes	'u·zɪz	
oozed	u·zd	
oozing	'u·zɪŋ	
open	'oʊpən	
opens	'oʊpənz	
opened	'oʊpənd	
opening	'oʊpnɪŋ	
openings	'oʊpnɪŋz	
opener	'oʊpnə(r	'oʊpnə
openers	'oʊpnəz	'oʊpnəz
openly	'oʊpn̩lɪ	
opera	'ɒpərə	'ɑpərə
operas	'ɒpərəz	'ɑpərəz
operate	'ɒpəreɪt	'ɑpəreɪt
operates	'ɒpəreɪts	'ɑpəreɪts
operated	'ɒpəreɪtɪd	'ɑpəreɪtɪd
operating	'ɒpəreɪtɪŋ	'ɑpəreɪtɪŋ
operator	'ɒpəreɪtə(r	'ɑpəreɪtə
operators	'ɒpəreɪtəz	'ɑpəreɪtəz
operatic	ɒpə'rætɪk	ɑpə'rætɪk
operation	ɒpə'reɪʃən	ɑpə'reɪʃən
operations	ɒpə'reɪʃənz	ɑpə'reɪʃənz
opinion	†ə'pɪnjən	

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opinions	†ə′pɪnjənz	
opium	′oʊpɪəm	
opponent	†ə′poʊnənt	
opponents	†ə′poʊnənts	
opportune	′ɒpətjuːn	′ɑpətjun
opportunely	′ɒpətjuːnlɪ	′ɑpətjunlɪ
	ɒpə′tjuːnlɪ	ɑpə′tjuːnlɪ
opportunity	ɒpə′tjuːnɪtɪ	ɑpə′tjuːnɪtɪ
opportunities	ɒpə′tjuːnɪtɪz	ɑpə′tjuːnɪtɪz
oppose	†ə′poʊz	
opposes	†ə′poʊzɪz	
opposed	†ə′poʊzd	
opposing	†ə′poʊzɪŋ	
opposite	′ɒpəzɪt	′ɑpəzɪt
opposition	ɒpə′zɪʃən	ɑpə′zɪʃən
oppress	†ə′prɛs	
oppresses	†ə′prɛsɪz	
oppressed	†ə′prɛst	
oppressing	†ə′prɛsɪŋ	
oppressor	†ə′prɛsə(r	†ə′prɛsə
oppressors	†ə′prɛsəz	†ə′prɛsəz
oppression	†ə′prɛʃən	
oppressive	†ə′prɛsɪv	
optical	′ɒptɪkəl	′ɑptɪkl̩
optimism	′ɒptɪmɪzm̩	′ɑptɪmɪzm̩
optimist	′ɒptɪmɪst	′ɑptɪmɪst
optimists	′ɒptɪmɪsts	′ɑptɪmɪsts
optimistic	ɒptɪ′mɪstɪk	ɑptɪ′mɪstɪk
option	′ɒpʃən	′ɑpʃən
options	′ɒpʃənz	′ɑpʃənz
optional	′ɒpʃənl̩	′ɑpʃənl̩
optionally	′ɒpʃənəlɪ	′ɑpʃn̩əlɪ
or	ɔː(r, ə(r	ɔə, ə
oral	′ɔːrəl	′orəl
orally	′ɔːrəlɪ	′orəlɪ
orange	′ɒrɪnʤ, ′ɒrənʤ	
oranges	′ɒrɪnʤɪz, ′ɒrənʤɪz	
orator	′ɒrətə(r, ′ɒrɪtə(r	
orators	′ɒrətəz, ′ɒrɪtəz	
oratorical	ɒrə′tɒrɪkəl	
orchard	′ɔːʧəd	′ɔəʧəd
orchards	′ɔːʧədz	′ɔəʧədz
orchestra	′ɔːkɪstrə	′ɔəkɪstrə
orchestras	′ɔːkɪstrəz	′ɔəkɪstrəz
ordain	ɔ′deɪn	ɔə′deɪn

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ordains	ɔ′deɪnz	ɔə′deɪnz
ordained	ɔ′deɪnd	ɔə′deɪnd
ordaining	ɔ′deɪnɪŋ	ɔə′deɪnɪŋ
ordeal	ɔ′diːəl, ′ɔːdiəl	′ɔədiəl
ordeals	ɔ′diːəlz, ′ɔːdiəlz	′ɔədiəlz
order	′ɔːdə(r	′ɔədə
orders	′ɔːdəz	′ɔədəz
ordered	′ɔːdəd	′ɔədəd
ordering	′ɔːdərɪŋ	′ɔədərɪŋ
orderly	′ɔːdəlɪ	′ɔədəlɪ
ordinal	′ɔːdɪnl̩	′ɔədɪnl̩
ordinals	′ɔːdɪnl̩z	′ɔəd̬ɪnl̩z
ordinary	′ɔːdɪnrɪ	′ɔədɪnɛrɪ
ordinarily	′ɔːdɪnərɪlɪ	′ɔədɪnɛrɪlɪ
ore	ɔː(r, ɔə(r	ɔə
ores	ɔːz, ɔəz	ɔəz
organ	′ɔːgən	′ɔəgən
organs	′ɔːgənz	′ɔəgənz
organic	ɔ′gænɪk	ɔə′gænɪk
organically	ɔ′gænɪkəlɪ	ɔə′gænɪkəlɪ
organist	′ɔːgənɪst	′ɔəgənɪst
organists	′ɔːgənɪsts	′ɔəgənɪsts
organization	ɔgənaɪ′zeɪʃən	ɔəgənaɪ′zeɪʃən
	ɔgənɪ′zeɪʃən	ɔəgənɪ′zeɪʃən
organizations	ɔgənaɪ′zeɪʃənz	ɔəgənaɪ′zeɪʃənz
	ɔgənɪ′zeɪʃənz	ɔəgənɪ′zeɪʃənz
organize	′ɔːgənaɪz	′ɔəgənaɪz
organizes	′ɔːgənaɪzɪz	′ɔəgənaɪzɪz
organized	′ɔːgənaɪzd	′ɔəgənaɪzd
organizing	′ɔːgənaɪzɪŋ	′ɔəgənaɪzɪŋ
organizer	′ɔːgənaɪzə(r	′ɔəgənaɪzə
organizers	′ɔːgənaɪzəz	′ɔəgənaɪzəz
orient	′ɔːrɪənt, ′ɒrɪənt	′orɪənt
oriental	ɔrɪ′ɛnt̬l̩, ɒrɪ′ɛnt̬l̩	orɪ′ɛnt̬l̩
orientals	ɔrɪ′ɛnt̬l̩z, ɒrɪ′ɛnt̬l̩z	orɪ′ɛnt̬l̩z
origin	′ɒrɪʤɪn	′ɑrɪʤɪn
origins	′ɒrɪʤɪnz	′ɑrɪʤɪnz
original	†ə′rɪʤɪnl̩	
originally	†ə′rɪʤɪnəlɪ	
originality	†ərɪʤɪ′nælɪtɪ	
originate	†ə′rɪʤɪneɪt	
originates	†ə′rɪʤɪneɪts	
originated	†ə′rɪʤɪneɪtɪd	
originating	†ə′rɪʤɪneɪtɪŋ	
ornament, *noun*	′ɔːnəmənt	′ɔənəmənt

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ornaments	ˈɔːnəmənts	ˈɔənəmənts
ornamental	ɔnəˈmɛntl̩	ɔənəˈmɛntl̩
orphan	ˈɔːfn̩	ˈɔəfn̩
orphans	ˈɔːfn̩z	ˈɔəfn̩z
orthodox	ˈɔːθədɒks	ˈɔəθədɑks
orthographic	ɔθəˈgræfɪk	ɔəθəˈgræfɪk
orthographically	ɔθəˈgræfɪkəlɪ	ɔəθəˈgræfɪkəlɪ
ostrich	ˈɒstrɪtʃ	
ostriches	ˈɒstrɪtʃɪz	
other	ˈʌðə(r	ˈʌðə
others	ˈʌðəz	ˈʌðəz
otherwise	ˈʌðəwaɪz	ˈʌðəwaɪz
ought	ɔːt	
oughtn't	ˈɔːtn̩t	
ounce	aʊns	
ounces	ˈaʊnsɪz	
our	ˈaʊə(r	ˈaʊə
ours	ˈaʊəz	ˈaʊəz
ourself	aʊəˈsɛlf	aʊəˈsɛlf
ourselves	aʊəˈsɛlvz	aʊəˈsɛlvz
out	aʊt	
outbreak	ˈaʊtbreɪk	
outbreaks	ˈaʊtbreɪks	
outcome	ˈaʊtkʌm	
outdoor	ˈaʊtdɔ(r, ˈaʊtdɔə(r	ˈaʊtdoə
outdoors	ˈaʊtˈdɔːz, ˈaʊtˈdɔəz	ˈaʊtˈdoəz
outer	ˈaʊtə(r	ˈaʊtə
outfit	ˈaʊtfɪt	
outfits	ˈaʊtfɪts	
outing	ˈaʊtɪŋ	
outings	ˈaʊtɪŋz	
outlaw	ˈaʊtlɔ	
outlaws	ˈaʊtlɔz	
outlay	ˈaʊtleɪ	
outlet	ˈaʊtlɛt, ˈaʊtlɪt	
outlets	ˈaʊtlɛts, ˈaʊtlɪts	
outline	ˈaʊtlaɪn	
outlines	ˈaʊtlaɪnz	
outlined	ˈaʊtlaɪnd	
outlining	ˈaʊtlaɪnɪŋ	
outlive	aʊtˈlɪv	
outlives	aʊtˈlɪvz	
outlived	aʊtˈlɪvd	
outliving	aʊtˈlɪvɪŋ	
outlook	ˈaʊtlʊk	
outlooks	ˈaʊtlʊks	
outlying	ˈaʊtlaɪŋ	

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out-of-doors	ˈaʊtəvˈdɔːz	ˈaʊtəvˈdoəz
	ˈaʊtəvˈdɔəz	
out-of-the-way	ˈaʊtəʊðəˈweɪ	
outpost	ˈaʊtpoʊst	
outposts	ˈaʊtpoʊsts	
output	ˈaʊtput	
outrageous	aʊtˈreɪʤəs	
outrageously	aʊtˈreɪʤəslɪ	
outright	ˈaʊtˈraɪt	
outset	ˈaʊtsɛt	
outside	ˈaʊtˈsaɪd	
outsides	ˈaʊtˈsaɪdz	
outsider	ˈaʊtˈsaɪdə(r	ˈaʊtˈsaɪdə
outsiders	ˈaʊtˈsaɪdəz	ˈaʊtˈsaɪdəz
outskirt	ˈaʊtskɜt	ˈaʊtskɜət
outskirts	ˈaʊtskɜts	ˈaʊtskɜəts
outspoken	aʊtˈspoʊkən	
outstanding	aʊtˈstændɪŋ	
outward	ˈaʊtwəd	ˈaʊtwəd
outwardly	ˈaʊtwədlɪ	ˈaʊtwədlɪ
outwards	ˈaʊtwədz	ˈaʊtwədz
outweigh	aʊtˈweɪ	
outweighs	aʊtˈweɪz	
outweighed	aʊtˈweɪd	
outweighing	aʊtˈweɪɪŋ	
oven	ˈʌvn̩	
ovens	ˈʌvn̩z	
over	ˈoʊvə(r	ˈoʊvə
overbearing	oʊvəˈbɛərɪŋ	oʊvəˈbɛːrɪŋ
overboard	ˈoʊvəˈbɔːd, ˈoʊvəˈbɔəd	ˈoʊvəˈboəd
overburden	oʊvəˈbɜːdn̩	oʊvəˈbɜədn̩
overburdens	oʊvəˈbɜːdn̩z	oʊvəˈbɜədn̩z
overburdened	oʊvəˈbɜːdn̩d	oʊvəˈbɜədn̩d
overburdening	oʊvəˈbɜːdnɪŋ	oʊvəˈbɜədnɪŋ
overcharge, *noun & verb*	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑːʤ	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑəʤ
overcharges	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑːʤɪz	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑəʤɪz
overcharged	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑːʤd	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑəʤd
overcharging	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑːʤɪŋ	ˈoʊvəˈʧɑəʤɪŋ
overcoat	ˈoʊvəkoʊt	ˈoʊvəkoʊt
overcoats	ˈoʊvəkoʊts	ˈoʊvəkoʊts
overcome	oʊvəˈkʌm	oʊvəˈkʌm
overcomes	oʊvəˈkʌmz	oʊvəˈkʌmz
overcame	oʊvəˈkeɪm	oʊvəˈkeɪm
overcoming	oʊvəˈkʌmɪŋ	oʊvəˈkʌmɪŋ
over-confidence	ˈoʊvəˈkɒnfɪdəns	ˈoʊvəˈkɑnfɪdəns
over-confident	ˈoʊvəˈkɒnfɪdənt	ˈoʊvəˈkɑnfɪdənt

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overdo	oʊvə'du:	oʊvə'du:
overdoes	oʊvə'dʌz	oʊvə'dʌz
overdid	oʊvə'dɪd	oʊvə'dɪd
overdone	oʊvə'dʌn	oʊvə'dʌn
overdoing	oʊvə'du:ɪŋ	oʊvə'du:ɪŋ
overdose	'oʊvə'doʊs	'oʊvə'doʊs
	'oʊvədoʊs	'oʊvədoʊs
overdue	oʊvə'dju:	oʊvədju:
overestimate	'oʊvə'rɛstɪmeɪt	'oʊvə'ɛstɪmeɪt
overestimates	'oʊvə'rɛstɪmeɪts	'oʊvə'ɛstɪmeɪts
overestimated	'oʊvə'rɛstɪmeɪtɪd	'oʊvə'ɛstɪmeɪtɪd
overestimating	'oʊvə'rɛstɪmeɪtɪŋ	'oʊvə'ɛstɪmeɪtɪŋ
overflow, *noun*	'oʊvəfloʊ	'oʊvəfloʊ
overhang	'oʊvə'hæŋ	'oʊvə'hæŋ
overhangs	'oʊvə'hæŋz	'oʊvə'hæŋz
overhung	'oʊvə'hʌŋ	'oʊvə'hʌŋ
overhanging	'oʊvə'hæŋɪŋ	'oʊvə'hæŋɪŋ
overhaul	oʊvə'hɔ:l	oʊvə'hɔ:l
overhauls	oʊvə'hɔ:lz	oʊvə'hɔ:lz
overhauled	oʊvə'hɔ:ld	oʊvə'hɔ:ld
overhauling	oʊvə'hɔ:lɪŋ	oʊvə'hɔ:lɪŋ
overhear	oʊvə'hɪə(r	oʊvə'hɪə
overhears	oʊvə'hɪəz	oʊvə'hɪəz
overheard	oʊvə'hɜ:d	oʊvə'hɜəd
overhearing	oʊvə'hɪərɪŋ	oʊvə'hɪ:rɪŋ
overlap	oʊvə'læp	oʊvə'læp
overlaps	oʊvə'læps	oʊvə'læps
overlapped	oʊvə'læpt	oʊvə'læpt
overlapping	oʊvə'læpɪŋ	oʊvə'læpɪŋ
overload	'oʊvə'loʊd	'oʊvə'loʊd
overloads	'oʊvə'loʊdz	'oʊvə'loʊdz
overloaded	'oʊvə'loʊdɪd	'oʊvə'loʊdɪd
overloading	'oʊvə'loʊdɪŋ	'oʊvə'loʊdɪŋ
overlook	oʊvə'lʊk	oʊvə'lʊk
overlooks	oʊvə'lʊks	oʊvə'lʊks
overlooked	oʊvə'lʊkt	oʊvə'lʊkt
overlooking	oʊvə'lʊkɪŋ	oʊvə'lʊkɪŋ
overmuch	'oʊvə'mʌtʃ, 'oʊvəmʌtʃ	'oʊvə'mʌtʃ, 'oʊvəmʌtʃ
overnight	'oʊvə'naɪt	'oʊvə'naɪt
overreach	oʊvə'ri:tʃ	
overreaches	oʊvə'ri:tʃɪz	
overreached	oʊvə'ri:tʃt	
overreaching	oʊvə'ri:tʃɪŋ	
override	oʊvə'raɪd	
overrides	oʊvə'raɪdz	
overrode	oʊvə'roʊd	
overridden	oʊvə'rɪdn̩	

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overriding	oʊvə'raɪdɪŋ	
overrule	oʊvə'ru·l	
overrules	oʊvə'ru·lz	
overruled	oʊvə'ru·ld	
overruling	oʊvə'ru·lɪŋ	
overrun	oʊvə'rʌn	
overruns	oʊvə'rʌnz	
overran	oʊvə'rʌn	
overrunning	oʊvə'rʌnɪŋ	
oversea	'oʊvə'si·	'oʊvə'si·
overseas	'oʊvə'si·z	'oʊvə'si·z
overshadow	oʊvə'ʃædoʊ	oʊvə'ʃædoʊ
overshadows	oʊvə'ʃædoʊz	oʊvə'ʃædoʊz
overshadowed	oʊvə'ʃædoʊd	oʊvə'ʃædoʊd
overshadowing	oʊvə'ʃædoʊɪŋ	oʊvə'ʃædoʊɪŋ
overshoot	'oʊvə'ʃu·t	'oʊvə'ʃu·t
overshoots	'oʊvə'ʃu·ts	'oʊvə'ʃu·ts
overshot	'oʊvə'ʃɒt	'oʊvə'ʃɑt
overshooting	'oʊvə'ʃu·tɪŋ	'oʊvə'ʃu·tɪŋ
oversight	'oʊvəsaɪt	'oʊvəsaɪt
oversights	'oʊvəsaɪts	'oʊvəsaɪts
overstate	'oʊvə'steɪt	'oʊvə'steɪt
overstates	'oʊvə'steɪts	'oʊvə'steɪts
overstated	'oʊvə'steɪtɪd	'oʊvə'steɪtɪd
overstating	'oʊvə'steɪtɪŋ	'oʊvə'steɪtɪŋ
overstep	'oʊvə'stɛp	'oʊvə'stɛp
oversteps	'oʊvə'stɛps	'oʊvə'stɛps
overstepped	'oʊvə'stɛpt	'oʊvə'stɛpt
overstepping	'oʊvə'stɛpɪŋ	'oʊvə'stɛpɪŋ
overtake	oʊvə'teɪk	oʊvə'teɪk
overtakes	oʊvə'teɪks	oʊvə'teɪks
overtook	oʊvə'tʊk	oʊvə'tʊk
overtaken	oʊvə'teɪkən	oʊvə'teɪkən
overtaking	oʊvə'teɪkɪŋ	oʊvə'teɪkɪŋ
overtax	'oʊvə'tæks	'oʊvə'tæks
overtaxes	'oʊvə'tæksɪz	'oʊvə'tæksɪz
overtaxed	'oʊvə'tækst	'oʊvə'tækst
overtaxing	'oʊvə'tæksɪŋ	'oʊvə'tæksɪŋ
overthrow, *noun*	'oʊvəθroʊ	'oʊvəθroʊ
overthrow, *verb*	oʊvə'θroʊ	oʊvə'θroʊ
overthrows	oʊvə'θroʊz	oʊvə'θroʊz
overthrew	oʊvə'θru·	oʊvə'θru·
overthrown	oʊvə'θroʊn	oʊvə'θroʊn
overthrowing	oʊvə'θroʊɪŋ	oʊvə'θroʊɪŋ
overtime	'oʊvətaɪm	'oʊvətaɪm
overture	'oʊvətjʊə(r	'oʊvətjʊə
	'oʊvətʃʊə(r	'oʊvətʃʊə

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overtures	ˈoʊvətjʊəz	ˈoʊvətjʊəz
	ˈoʊvətʃʊəz	ˈoʊvətʃʊəz
overturn	oʊvəˈtɜːn	oʊvəˈtɜən
overturns	oʊvəˈtɜːnz	oʊvəˈtɜənz
overturned	oʊvəˈtɜːnd	oʊvəˈtɜənd
overturning	oʊvəˈtɜːnɪŋ	oʊvəˈtɜənɪŋ
overweight	ˈoʊvəˈweɪt	ˈoʊvəˈweɪt
overwhelm	oʊvəˈ*h*wɛlm	oʊvəˈhwɛlm
overwhelms	oʊvəˈ*h*wɛlmz	oʊvəˈhwɛlmz
overwhelmed	oʊvəˈ*h*wɛlmd	oʊvəˈhwɛlmd
overwhelming	oʊvəˈ*h*wɛlmɪŋ	oʊvəˈhwɛlmɪŋ
overwhelmingly	oʊvəˈ*h*wɛlmɪŋlɪ	oʊvəˈhwɛlmɪŋlɪ
overwork, *noun & verb*	ˈoʊvəˈwɜːk	ˈoʊvəˈwɜək
overworks	ˈoʊvəˈwɜːks	ˈoʊvəˈwɜəks
overworked	ˈoʊvəˈwɜːkt	ˈoʊvəˈwɜəkt
overworking	ˈoʊvəˈwɜːkɪŋ	ˈoʊvəˈwɜəkɪŋ
owe	oʊ	
owes	oʊz	
owed	oʊd	
owing	ˈoʊɪŋ	
owing to	ˈoʊɪŋ tu *s.f.*	
	ˈoʊɪŋ tu, ˈoʊɪŋ tə *w.fs.*	
owl	aʊl	
owls	aʊlz	
own	oʊn	
owns	oʊnz	
owned	oʊnd	
owning	ˈoʊnɪŋ	
owner	ˈoʊnə(r	ˈoʊnə
owners	ˈoʊnəz	ˈoʊnəz
ownership	ˈoʊnəʃɪp	ˈoʊnəʃɪp
ox	ɒks	ɑks
oxen	ˈɒksn̩	ˈɑksn̩
Oxford	ˈɒksfəd	ˈɑksfəd
oxygen	ˈɒksɪʤən, ˈɒkzɪʤən	ˈɑksɪʤən, ˈɑkzɪʤən
oyster	ˈɔɪstə(r	ˈɔɪstə
oysters	ˈɔɪstəz	ˈɔɪstəz

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P	piː	
P's	piːz	
pace	peɪs	
paces	ˈpeɪsɪz	
pacific	pəˈsɪfɪk	

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pacify	ˈpæsɪfaɪ	
pacifies	ˈpæsɪfaɪz	
pacified	ˈpæsɪfaɪd	
pacifying	ˈpæsɪfaɪɪŋ	
pack	pæk	
packs	pæks	
packed	pækt	
packing	ˈpækɪŋ	
package	ˈpækɪʤ	
packages	ˈpækɪʤɪz	
packet	ˈpækɪt	
packets	ˈpækɪts	
pad	pæd	
pads	pædz	
padded	ˈpædɪd	
padding	ˈpædɪŋ	
paddle	ˈpædl̩	
paddles	ˈpædl̩z	
paddled	ˈpædl̩d	
paddling	ˈpædlɪŋ	
page	peɪʤ	
pages	ˈpeɪʤɪz	
PAID *from* pay	peɪd	
pail	peɪl	
pails	peɪlz	
pailful	ˈpeɪlful	
pailfuls	ˈpeɪlfulz	
pain	peɪn	
pains	peɪnz	
pained	peɪnd	
paining	ˈpeɪnɪŋ	
painful	ˈpeɪnful	
painfully	ˈpeɪnfulɪ, ˈpeɪnfəlɪ	
painless	ˈpeɪnlɪs	
painlessly	ˈpeɪnlɪslɪ	
painstaking	ˈpeɪnzteɪkɪŋ	
paint	peɪnt	
paints	peɪnts	
painted	ˈpeɪntɪd	
painting	ˈpeɪntɪŋ	
painter	ˈpeɪntə(r	ˈpeɪntə
painters	ˈpeɪntəz	ˈpeɪntəz
painting	ˈpeɪntɪŋ	
paintings	ˈpeɪntɪŋz	
pair	pɛə(r	pɛə
pairs	pɛəz	pɛəz
pajamas (*Amer.*)	pəˈʤɑːməz	pəˈʤaːməz

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palace	ˈpælɪs, ˈpæləs	
palaces	ˈpælɪsɪz, ˈpæləsɪz	
palate	ˈpælɪt, ˈpælət	
palates	ˈpælɪts, ˈpæləts	
palatial	pəˈleɪʃəl, pəˈleɪʃjəl	
pale	peɪl	
paler	ˈpeɪlə(r	ˈpeɪlə
palest	ˈpeɪlɪst	
paleness	ˈpeɪlnɪs	
palm	pɑˑm	paˑm
palms	pɑˑmz	paˑmz
palpitation	pælpɪˈteɪʃən	
paltry	ˈpɔˑltrɪ, ˈpɒltrɪ	
pamphlet	ˈpæmflɪt	
pamphlets	ˈpæmflɪts	
pan	pæn	
pans	pænz	
pane	peɪn	
panes	peɪnz	
panel	ˈpæn‖	
panels	ˈpæn‖z	
panic	ˈpænɪk	
panics	ˈpænɪks	
panorama	pænəˈrɑˑmə	pænəˈraˑmə
panoramas	pænəˈrɑˑməz	pænəˈraˑməz
paper	ˈpeɪpə(r	ˈpeɪpə
papers	ˈpeɪpəz	ˈpeɪpəz
parachute	pærəˈʃuˑt, ˈpærəʃut	
parachutes	pærəˈʃuˑts ˈpærəʃuts	
parade	pəˈreɪd	
parades	pəˈreɪdz	
paradise	ˈpærədaɪs	
paradox	ˈpærədɒks	ˈpærədɑks
paradoxes	ˈpærədɒksɪz	ˈpærədɑksɪz
paradoxical	pærəˈdɒksɪkəl	pærəˈdɑksɪkəl
paraffin	ˈpærəfɪn, ˈpærəfin	
paragraph	ˈpærəgrɑf	ˈpærəgraf
paragraphs	ˈpærəgrɑfs	ˈpærəgrafs
parallel	ˈpærəlɛl, ˈpærələl	
parallels	ˈpærəlɛlz, ˈpærələlz	
paralyse	ˈpærəlaɪz	
paralyses	ˈpærəlaɪzɪz	
paralysed	ˈpærəlaɪzd	
paralysing	ˈpærəlaɪzɪŋ	
paralysis	pəˈrælɪlsɪs	
paraphrase	ˈpærəfreɪz	

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paraphrases	ˈpærəfreɪzɪz	
paraphrased	ˈpærəfreɪzd	
paraphrasing	ˈpærəfreɪzɪŋ	
parasite	ˈpærəsaɪt	
parasites	ˈpærəsaɪts	
parasol	ˈpærəˈsɒl	
parasols	ˈpærəˈsɒlz	
parcel	ˈpɑːsl̩	ˈpɑəsl̩
parcels	ˈpɑːsl̩z	ˈpɑəsl̩z
parchment	ˈpɑːtʃmənt	ˈpɑətʃmənt
pardon	ˈpɑːdn̩	ˈpɑədn̩
pardons	ˈpɑːdn̩z	ˈpɑədn̩z
pardoned	ˈpɑːdn̩d	ˈpɑədn̩d
pardoning	ˈpɑːdnɪŋ	ˈpɑədnɪŋ
pardonable	ˈpɑːdnəbl̩	ˈpɑədnəbl̩
pardonably	ˈpɑːdnəblɪ	ˈpɑədnəblɪ
parent	ˈpɛərənt	ˈpɛːrənt
parents	ˈpɛərənts	ˈpɛːrənts
parenthesis	pəˈrɛnθɪsɪs	
	pəˈrɛnθəsɪs	
parentheses	pəˈrɛnθɪsiz	
	pəˈrɛnθəsiz	
Paris	ˈpærɪs	
parish	ˈpærɪʃ	
parishes	ˈpærɪʃɪz	
Parisian	pəˈrɪzjən, pəˈrɪzɪən	
Parisians	pəˈrɪzjənz	
	pəˈrɪzɪənz	
park	pɑːk	pɑək
parks	pɑːks	pɑəks
parliament	ˈpɑːləmənt	ˈpɑələmənt
	ˈpɑːlɪmənt	ˈpɑəlɪmənt
parliaments	ˈpɑːləmənts	ˈpɑələmənts
	ˈpɑːlɪmənts	ˈpɑəlɪmənts
parliamentary	pɑləˈmɛntərɪ	pɑələˈmɛntərɪ
	pɑlɪˈmɛntərɪ	pɑəlɪˈmɛntərɪ
parlor (*Amer.*)		
parlour	ˈpɑːlə(r	ˈpɑələ
parlors (*Amer.*)		
parlours	ˈpɑːləz	ˈpɑələz
parody	ˈpærədɪ	
parodies	ˈpærədɪz	
parrot	ˈpærət	
parrots	ˈpærəts	
part	pɑːt	pɑət
parts	pɑːts	pɑəts
parted	ˈpɑːtɪd	ˈpɑətɪd

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parting	ˈpɑːtɪŋ	ˈpɑətɪŋ
partial	ˈpɑːʃəl	ˈpɑəʃəl
partially	ˈpɑːʃəlɪ	ˈpɑəʃəlɪ
partiality	pɑʃɪˈælɪtɪ	pɑəʃɪˈælɪtɪ
participate	pɑˈtɪsɪpeɪt	pɑəˈtɪsɪpeɪt
participates	pɑˈtɪsɪpeɪts	pɑəˈtɪsɪpeɪts
participated	pɑˈtɪsɪpeɪtɪd	pɑəˈtɪsɪpeɪtɪd
participating	pɑˈtɪsɪpeɪtɪŋ	pɑəˈtɪsɪpeɪtɪŋ
participation	pɑtɪsɪˈpeɪʃən	pɑətɪsɪˈpeɪʃən
participle	ˈpɑːtɪsɪpl̩	pɑətɪsɪpl̩
participles	ˈpɑːtɪsɪpl̩z	ˈpɑətɪsɪpl̩z
particle	ˈpɑːtɪkl̩	ˈpɑətɪkl̩
particles	ˈpɑːtɪkl̩z	ˈpɑətɪkl̩z
particular	pəˈtɪkjʊlə(r	pəˈtɪkjʊlə
	pəˈtɪkjələ(r	pəˈtɪkjələ
particulars	pəˈtɪkjʊləz	pəˈtɪkjʊləz
	pəˈtɪkjələz	pəˈtɪkjələz
particularly	pəˈtɪkjʊləlɪ	pəˈtɪkjʊləlɪ
	pəˈtɪkjələlɪ	pəˈtɪkjələlɪ
parting	ˈpɑːtɪŋ	ˈpɑətɪŋ
partings	ˈpɑːtɪŋz	ˈpɑətɪŋz
partition	pɑˈtɪʃən, pəˈtɪʃən	pɑəˈtɪʃən, pəˈtɪʃən
partitions	pɑˈtɪʃənz, pəˈtɪʃənz	pɑəˈtɪʃənz, pəˈtɪʃən
partly	ˈpɑːtlɪ	ˈpɑətlɪ
partner	ˈpɑːtnə(r	ˈpɑətnə
partners	ˈpɑːtnəz	ˈpɑətnəz
party	ˈpɑːtɪ	ˈpɑətɪ
parties	ˈpɑːtɪz	ˈpɑətɪz
pass	pɑːs	pɑːs
passes	ˈpɑːsɪz	ˈpɑːsɪz
passed	ˈpɑːst	pɑːst
passing	ˈpɑːsɪŋ	ˈpɑːsɪŋ
passable	ˈpɑːsəbl̩	ˈpɑːsəbl̩
passably	ˈpɑːsəblɪ	ˈpɑːsəblɪ
passage	ˈpæsɪʤ	
passages	ˈpæsɪʤɪz	
passenger	ˈpæsɪnʤə(r	ˈpæsɪnʤə
passengers	ˈpæsɪnʤəz	ˈpæsɪnʤəz
passer-by	ˈpɑːsəˈbaɪ	ˈpɑːsəˈbaɪ
passers-by	ˈpɑːsəzˈbaɪ	ˈpɑːsəzˈbaɪ
passion	ˈpæʃən	
passions	ˈpæʃənz	
passionate	ˈpæʃənɪt	
passionately	ˈpæʃənɪtlɪ	
passive	ˈpæsɪv	
passively	ˈpæsɪvlɪ	
passport	ˈpɑːspɔt	ˈpɑːspoət

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passports	ˈpɑːspɔts	ˈpaːspoəts
past	pɑːst	paːst
paste	peɪst	
pastes	peɪsts	
pasted	ˈpeɪstɪd	
pasting	ˈpeɪstɪŋ	
pastime	ˈpɑːstaɪm, ˈpæstaɪm	ˈpaːstaɪm
pastimes	ˈpɑːstaɪmz ˈpæstaɪmz	ˈpaːstaɪmz
pastry	ˈpeɪstrɪ	
pat	pæt	
pats	pæts	
patted	ˈpætɪd	
patting	ˈpætɪŋ	
patch	pætʃ	
patches	ˈpætʃɪz	
patched	pætʃt	
patching	ˈpætʃɪŋ	
patchy	ˈpætʃɪ	
patent	ˈpeɪtənt, ˈpætənt	
patents	ˈpeɪtənts, ˈpætənts	
patented	ˈpeɪtəntɪd ˈpætəntɪd	
patenting	ˈpeɪtəntɪŋ ˈpætəntɪŋ	
paternal	pəˈtəːnl̩	pəˈtɜən l̩
path	pɑːθ	paːθ
paths	pɑːðz	paːðz
pathetic	pəˈθɛtɪk	
pathway	ˈpɑːθweɪ	ˈpaːθweɪ
pathways	ˈpɑːθweɪz	ˈpaːθweɪz
patience	ˈpeɪʃəns	
patient	ˈpeɪʃənt	
patients	ˈpeɪʃənts	
patiently	ˈpeɪʃəntlɪ	
patriot	ˈpeɪtrɪət, ˈpætrɪət	
patriots	ˈpeɪtrɪəts, ˈpætrɪəts	
patriotic	pætrɪˈɒtɪk peɪtrɪˈɒtɪk	pætrɪˈɑtɪk peɪtrɪˈɑtɪk
patriotically	pætrɪˈɒtɪkəlɪ peɪtrɪˈɒtɪkəlɪ	pætrɪˈɑtɪkəlɪ peɪtrɪˈɑtɪkəlɪ
patriotism	ˈpætrɪətɪzm̩ ˈpeɪtrɪətɪzm̩	
patrol	pəˈtroul	

‡ British usage tends towards [ˈpeɪtənt], and American usage towards [ˈpætənt].

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patrols	pə'troulz	
patrolled	pə'trould	
patrolling	pə'trouluŋ	
patron	'peɪtrən, 'pætrən	
patrons	'peɪtrənz, 'pætrənz	
patronage	'pætrənɪʤ	'peɪtrənɪʤ
patronize	'pætrənaɪz	'peɪtrənaɪz
patronizes	'pætrənaɪzɪz	'peɪtrənaɪzɪz
patronized	'pætrənaɪzd	'peɪtrənaɪzd
patronizing	'pætrənaɪzɪŋ	'peɪtrənaɪzɪŋ
pattern	'pætən	
patterns	'pætənz	
Paul	pɔˑl	
pauper	'pɔˑpə(r	'pɔˑpə
paupers	'pɔˑpəz	'pɔˑpəz
pause	pɔˑz	
pauses	'pɔˑzɪz	
paused	pɔˑzd	
pausing	'pɔˑzɪŋ	
pave	peɪv	
paves	peɪvz	
paved	peɪvd	
paving	'peɪvɪŋ	
pavement	'peɪvmənt	
pavements	'peɪvmənts	
pavilion	pə'vɪljən	
pavilions	pə'vɪljənz	
paw	pɔˑ	
paws	pɔˑz	
pay	peɪ	
pays	peɪz	
paid	peɪd	
paying	'peɪɪŋ	
payable	'peɪəbl̩	
payment	'peɪmənt	
payments	'peɪmənts	
pea	piˑ	
peas	piˑz	
peace	piˑs	
peaceful	'piˑsful	
peacefully	'piˑsfulɪ, 'piˑsfəlɪ	
peach	piˑʧ	
peaches	'piˑʧɪz	
peacock	'piˑkɒk	'piˑkɑk
peacocks	'piˑkɒks	'piˑkɑks
peak	piˑk	
peaks	piˑks	

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peanut	ˈpiːnʌt	
peanuts	ˈpiːnʌts	
pear	pɛə(r	pɛə
pears	pɛəz	pɛəz
pearl	pəːl	pəəl
pearls	pəːlz	pəəlz
peasant	ˈpɛzənt	
peasants	ˈpɛzənts	
pebble	ˈpɛbl̩	
pebbles	ˈpɛbl̩z	
peck	pɛk	
pecks	pɛks	
pecked	pɛkt	
pecking	ˈpɛkɪŋ	
peculiar	pɪˈkjuːljə(r	pɪˈkjuːljə
peculiarly	pɪˈkjuːljəlɪ	pɪˈkjuːljəlɪ
peculiarity	pikjulɪˈærɪtɪ	
peculiarities	pɪkjulɪˈærɪtɪz	
pedal	ˈpɛdl̩	
pedals	ˈpɛdl̩z	
pedalled	ˈpɛdl̩d	
pedalling	ˈpɛdl̩ɪŋ	
pedant	ˈpɛdənt	
pedants	ˈpɛdənts	
pedantic	pɪˈdæntɪk, pɛˈdæntɪk	
pedantically	pɪˈdæntɪkəlɪ pɛˈdæntɪkəlɪ	
pedantry	ˈpɛdəntrɪ	
peel	piːl	
peels	piːlz	
peeled	piːld	
peeling	ˈpiːlɪŋ	
peep	piːp	
peeps	piːps	
peeped	piːpt	
peeping	ˈpiːpɪŋ	
peer	pɪə(r	pɪə
peers	pɪəz	pɪəz
peerage	ˈpɪərɪʤ	ˈpɪrɪʤ
peerages	ˈpɪərɪʤɪz	ˈpɪrɪʤɪz
peeress	ˈpɪərɪs, ˈpɪərɛs	ˈpɪrɪs, ˈpɪrɛs
peeresses	ˈpɪərɪsɪz, ˈpɪərɛsɪz	ˈpɪrɪsɪz, ˈpɪrɛsɪz
peerless	ˈpɪəlɪs	ˈpɪəlɪs
peerlessly	ˈpɪəlɪslɪ	ˈpɪəlɪslɪ
peevish	ˈpiːvɪʃ	
peevishly	ˈpiːvɪʃlɪ	
peg	pɛg	

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pegs	pɛgz	
Pekin	pi′kɪn	
Peking	pi′kɪŋ	
pelican	′pɛlɪkən	
pelicans	′pɛlɪkənz	
pen	pɛn	
pens	pɛnz	
penned	pɛnd	
penning	′pɛnɪŋ	
penal	′pi·nl̩	
penalty	′pɛnl̩tɪ	
penalties	′pɛnl̩tɪz	
PENCE, *plur. of* penny	pɛns	
pencil	′pɛnsl̩	
pencils	′pɛnsl̩z	
pencilled	′pɛnsl̩d	
pencilling	′pɛnsəlɪŋ	
pending	′pɛndɪŋ	
pendulum	′pɛndjʊləm ′pɛndjələm	
pendulums	′pɛndjʊləmz ′pɛndjələmz	
penetrate	′pɛnɪtreɪt	
penetrates	′pɛnɪtreɪts	
penetrated	′pɛnɪtreɪtɪd	
penetrating	′pɛnɪtreɪtɪŋ	
peninsula	pɪ′nɪnsjʊlə pə′nɪnsjʊlə	
peninsulas	pɪ′nɪnsjʊləz pə′nɪnsjʊləz	
penitence	′pɛnɪtəns	
penitent	′pɛnɪtənt	
penitently	′pɛnɪtəntlɪ	
penmanship	′pɛnmənʃɪp	
penniless	′pɛnɪlɪs	
penny	′pɛnɪ	
pennies	′pɛnɪz	
pence	′pɛns	
pension	′pɛnʃən	
pensions	′pɛnʃənz	
pensioned	′pɛnʃənd	
pensioning	′pɛnʃənɪŋ	
people	′pi·pl̩	
peoples	′pi·pl̩z	
peopled	′pi·pl̩d	
pepper	′pɛpə(r	′pɛpə

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per	pəː *s.f.*, pə *w.f.*	pɜə *s.f.*, pə *w.f.*
perceive	pə′siːv, pə′siːv	pə′siːv, pɜə′siːv
perceives	pə′siːvz, pə′siːvz	pə′siːvz, pɜə′siːvz
perceived	pə′siːvd, pə′siːvd	pə′siːvd, pɜə′siːvd
perceiving	pə′siːvɪŋ, pə′siːvɪŋ	pə′siːvɪŋ, pɜə′siːvɪŋ
per cent.	pə′sɛnt, pə′sɛnt	pə′sɛnt, pɜə′sɛnt
percentage	pə′sɛntɪʤ, pə′sɛntɪʤ	pə′sɛntɪʤ, pɜə′sɛntɪʤ
perception	pə′sɛpʃən, pə′sɛpʃən	pə′sɛpʃən, pɜə′sɛpʃən
perceptions	pə′sɛpʃənz	pə′sɛpʃənz
	pə′sɛpʃənz	pɜə′sɛpʃənz
perch	pəːʧ	pɜəʧ
perches	′pəːʧɪz	′pɜəʧɪz
perched	pəːʧt	pɜəʧt
perching	′pəːʧɪŋ	′pɜəʧɪŋ
Percy	′pəːsɪ	′pɜəsɪ
peremptory	pə′rɛm*p*tərɪ	
	′pɛrəm*p*tərɪ	′pɛrəm*p*torɪ
perfect, *adj.*	′pəːfɪkt	′pɜəfɪkt
perfect, *verb*	pə′fɛkt, ′pəːfɪkt	pə′fɛkt, ′pɜəfɪkt
perfects	pə′fɛkts, ′pəːfɪkts	pə′fɛkts, ′pɜəfɪkts
perfected	pə′fɛktɪd, ′pəːfɪktɪd	pə′fɛktɪd, ′pɜəfɪktɪd
perfecting	pə′fɛktɪŋ, ′pəːfɪktɪŋ	pə′fɛktɪŋ, ′pɜəfɪktɪŋ
perfection	pə′fɛkʃən, pə′fɛkʃən	pə′fɛkʃən, pɜə′fɛkʃən
perfectly	′pəːfɪk*t*lɪ	′pɜəfɪk*t*lɪ
perforate	′pəːfəreɪt	′pɜəfəreɪt
perforates	′pəːfəreɪts	′pɜəfəreɪts
perforated	′pəːfəreɪtɪd	′pɜəfəreɪtɪd
perforating	′pəːfəreɪtɪŋ	′pɜəfəreɪtɪŋ
perforation	pəfə′reɪʃən	pɜəfə′reɪʃən
perform	pə′fɔːm	pə′fɔɜm
performs	pə′fɔːmz	pə′fɔɜmz
performed	pə′fɔːmd	pə′fɔɜmd
performing	pə′fɔːmɪŋ	pə′fɔɜmɪŋ
performer	pə′fɔːmə(r	pə′fɔɜmə
performers	pə′fɔːməz	pə′fɔɜməz
perfume, *noun*	′pəːfjum	′pɜəfjum
perfumes	′pəːfjumz	′pɜəfjumz
perfume, *verb*	pə′fjuːm, ′pəːfjum	pə′fjuːm, ′pɜəfjum
perfumes	pə′fjuːmz	pə′fjuːmz
	′pəːfjumz	′pɜəfjumz
perfumed	pə′fjuːmd	pə′fjuːmd
	′pəːfjumd	′pɜəfjumd
perfuming	pə′fjuːmɪŋ	pə′fjuːmɪŋ
	′pəːfjumɪŋ	′pɜəfjumɪŋ
perhaps	pə′hæps, præps	pə′hæps
peril	′pɛrɪl	
perils	′pɛrɪlz	

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period	ˈpɪərɪəd	ˈpɪˑrɪəd
periods	ˈpɪərɪədz	ˈpɪˑrɪədz
periodical	pɪərɪˈɒdɪkəl	pɪˑrɪˈɑdɪkəl
periodicals	pɪərɪˈɒdɪkəlz	pɪˑrɪˈɑdɪkəlz
periodically	pɪərɪˈɒdɪkəlɪ	pɪˑrɪˈɑdɪkəlɪ
perish	ˈpɛrɪʃ	
perishes	ˈpɛrɪʃɪz	
perished	ˈpɛrɪʃt	
perishing	ˈpɛrɪʃɪŋ	
permanent	ˈpəˑmənənt	ˈpəəmənənt
	ˈpəˑmɪnənt	ˈpəəmɪnənt
permanently	ˈpəˑmənəntlɪ	ˈpəəmənəntlɪ
	ˈpəˑmɪnəntlɪ	ˈpəəmɪnəntlɪ
permissible	pəˈmɪsəb̩l, pəˈmɪsəb̩l	pəˈmɪsəb̩l, pəəmɪsəb̩l
	pəˈmɪsɪb̩l, pəˈmɪsɪb̩l	pəˈmɪsɪb̩l, pəəmɪsɪb̩l
permission	pəˈmɪʃən, pəˈmɪʃən	pəˈmɪʃən, pəəˈmɪʃən
permit, *noun*	ˈpəˑmɪt	ˈpəəmɪt
permits	ˈpəˑmɪts	ˈpəəmɪts
permit, *verb*	pəˈmɪt, pəˈmɪt	pəˈmɪt, pəəmɪt
permits	pəˈmɪts, pəˈmɪts	pəˈmɪts, pəəˈmɪts
permitted	pəˈmɪtɪd, pəˈmɪtɪd	pəˈmɪtɪd, pəəˈmɪtɪd
permitting	pəˈmɪtɪŋ, pəˈmɪtɪŋ	pəˈmɪtɪŋ, pəəˈmɪtɪŋ
pernicious	pəˈnɪʃəs	pəˈnɪʃəs
peroration	†pɛrəˈreɪʃən	
perorations	†pɛrəˈreɪʃənz	
perpendicular	pəpənˈdɪkjʊlə(r	pəəpənˈdɪkjʊlə
perpendicularly	pəpənˈdɪkjʊləlɪ	pəəpənˈdɪkjʊləlɪ
perpetual	pəˈpɛtjʊəl, pəˈpɛtjʊəl	pəˈpɛtjʊəl, pəəˈpɛtjʊəl
perpetually	pəˈpɛtjʊəlɪ, pəˈpɛtjʊəlɪ	pəˈpɛtjʊəlɪ, pəəˈpɛtjʊəl
perplex	pəˈplɛks, pəˈplɛks	pəˈplɛks, pəəˈplɛks
perplexes	pəˈplɛksɪz	pəˈplɛksɪz
	pəˈplɛksɪz	pəəˈplɛksɪz
perplexed	pəˈplɛkst	pəˈplɛkst
	pəˈplɛkst	pəəˈplɛkst
perplexing	pəˈplɛksɪŋ	pəˈplɛksɪŋ
	pəˈplɛksɪŋ	pəəˈplɛksɪŋ
perplexingly	pəˈplɛksɪŋlɪ	pəˈplɛksɪŋlɪ
	pəˈplɛksɪŋlɪ	pəəˈplɛksɪŋlɪ
perplexity	pəˈplɛksɪtɪ	pəˈplɛksɪtɪ
	pəˈplɛksɪtɪ	pəəˈplɛksɪtɪ
perplexities	pəˈplɛksɪtɪz	pəˈplɛksɪtɪz
	pəˈplɛksɪtɪz	pəəˈplɛksɪtɪz
persecute	ˈpəˑsɪkjʊt	ˈpəəsɪkjʊt
persecutes	ˈpəˑsɪkjʊts	ˈpəəsɪkjʊts
persecuted	ˈpəˑsɪkjʊtɪd	ˈpəəsɪkjʊtɪd

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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persecuting	ˈpəːsɪkjutɪŋ	ˈpəəsɪkjutɪŋ
persecutor	ˈpəːsɪkjutə(r	ˈpəəsɪkjutə
persecutors	ˈpəːsɪkjutəz	ˈpəəsɪkjutəz
persecution	pəsɪˈkjuːʃən	pəəsɪˈkjuːʃən
persecutions	pəsɪˈkjuːʃənz	pəəsɪˈkjuːʃənz
persevere	pəsɪˈvɪə(r	pəəsɪˈvɪə
perseveres	pəsɪˈvɪəz	pəəsɪˈvɪəz
persevered	pəsɪˈvɪəd	pəəsɪˈvɪəd
persevering	pəsɪˈvɪərɪŋ	pəəsɪˈvɪˈrɪŋ
Persia	ˈpəːʃə	ˈpəəʃə
Persian	ˈpəːʃən	ˈpəəʃən
Persians	ˈpəːʃənz	ˈpəəʃənz
persist	pəˈsɪst, pəˈsɪst	pəˈsɪst, pəəˈsɪst
persists	pəˈsɪsts, pəˈsɪsts	pəˈsɪsts, pəəˈsɪsts
persisted	pəˈsɪstɪd, pəˈsɪstɪd	pəˈsɪstɪd, pəəˈsɪstɪd
persisting	pəˈsɪstɪŋ, pəˈsɪstɪŋ	pəˈsɪstɪŋ, pəəˈsɪstɪŋ
persistence	pəˈsɪstəns, pəˈsɪstəns	pəˈsɪstəns, pəəˈsɪstəns
persistent	pəˈsɪstənt, pəˈsɪstənt	pəˈsɪstənt, pəəˈsɪstənt
persistently	pəˈsɪstəntlɪ pəˈsɪstəntlɪ	pəˈsɪstəntlɪ pəəˈsɪstəntlɪ
person	ˈpəːsn̩	ˈpəəsn̩
persons	ˈpəːsn̩z	ˈpəəsn̩z
personal	ˈpəːsən̩l	ˈpəəsən̩l
personally	ˈpəːsnəlɪ	ˈpəəsnəlɪ
personality	pəsəˈnælɪtɪ	pəəsəˈnælɪtɪ
perspective	pəˈspɛktɪv	pəəˈspɛktɪv
perspiration	pəspəˈreɪʃən	pəəspəˈreɪʃən
perspire	pəsˈpaɪə(r, pəsˈpaɪə(r	pəsˈpaɪə, pəəsˈpaɪə
perspires	pəsˈpaɪəz, pəsˈpaɪəz	pəsˈpaɪəz, pəəsˈpaɪəz
perspired	pəsˈpaɪəd, pəsˈpaɪəd	pəsˈpaɪəd, pəəsˈpaɪəd
perspiring	pəsˈpaɪərɪŋ pəsˈpaɪərɪŋ	pəsˈpaɪrɪŋ pəəsˈpaɪrɪŋ
persuade	pəˈsweɪd, pəˈsweɪd	pəˈsweɪd, pəəˈsweɪd
persuades	pəˈsweɪdz pəˈsweɪdz	pəˈsweɪdz pəəˈsweɪdz
persuaded	pəˈsweɪdɪd pəˈsweɪdɪd	pəˈsweɪdɪd pəəˈsweɪdɪd
persuading	pəˈsweɪdɪŋ pəˈsweɪdɪŋ	pəˈsweɪdɪŋ pəəˈsweɪdɪŋ
persuasion	pəˈsweɪʒən pəˈsweɪʒən	pəˈsweɪʒən pəəˈsweɪʒən
persuasive	pəˈsweɪsɪv pəˈsweɪsɪv	pəˈsweɪsɪv pəəsweɪsɪv
Peru	pəˈruː	
Peruvian	pəˈruːvɪən	
Peruvians	pəˈruːvɪənz	
pessimism	ˈpɛsɪmɪzm̩	

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pessimist	ˈpɛsɪmɪst	
pessimists	ˈpɛsɪmɪsts	
pessimistic	pɛsɪˈmɪstɪk	
pessimistically	pɛsɪˈmɪstɪkəlɪ	
pest	pɛst	
pests	pɛsts	
pester	ˈpɛstə(r	ˈpɛstə
pesters	ˈpɛstəz	ˈpɛstəz
pestered	ˈpɛstəd	ˈpɛstəd
pestering	ˈpɛstərɪŋ	
pet	pɛt	
pets	pɛts	
petted	ˈpɛtɪd	
petting	ˈpɛtɪŋ	
petal	ˈpɛtl̩	
petals	ˈpɛtl̩z	
Peter	ˈpiːtə(r	ˈpiːtə
petition	pɪˈtɪʃən, pəˈtɪʃən	
petitions	pɪˈtɪʃənz, pəˈtɪʃənz	
petitioned	pɪˈtɪʃənd, pəˈtɪʃənd	
petitioning	pɪˈtɪʃənɪŋ, pəˈtɪʃənɪŋ	
petrol	ˈpɛtrɒl, ˈpɛtrəl	piˈtroʊl,ˈpɛtrɑl
petroleum	pɪˈtroʊlɪəm	
	pɪˈtroʊljəm	
petticoat	ˈpɛtɪkoʊt	
petticoats	ˈpɛtɪkoʊts	
petty	ˈpɛtɪ	
pettiness	ˈpɛtɪnɪs	
petulant	ˈpɛtjʊlənt	
petulantly	ˈpɛtjʊləntlɪ	
phantom	ˈfæntəm	
phantoms	ˈfæntəmz	
pharmaceutic	fɑməˈsjuːtɪk	fɑəməˈsjuːtɪk
pharmacist	ˈfɑːməsɪst	ˈfɑəməsɪst
pharmacists	ˈfɑːməsɪsts	ˈfɑəməsɪsts
pharmacy	ˈfɑːməsɪ	ˈfɑəməsɪ
pharmacies	ˈfɑːməsɪz	ˈfɑəməsɪz
phase	feɪz	
phases	ˈfeɪzɪz	
pheasant	ˈfɛzn̩t	
pheasants	ˈfɛzn̩ts	
phenomenon	fɪˈnɒmɪnən	fɪˈnɑmɪnən
phenomena	fɪˈnɒmɪnə	fɪˈnɑmɪnə
Philadelphia	fɪləˈdɛlfɪə	
philanthropic	fɪlənˈθrɒpɪk	fɪlənˈθrɑpɪk
Philip	ˈfɪlɪp	
Philippine	fɪlɪˈpiːn, fɪlɪˈpaɪn	

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Philippines	fɪlɪ'pi·nz, fɪlɪ'paɪnz	
philological	fɪlə'lɒʤɪkəl	fɪlə'laʤɪkəl
philologically	fɪlə'lɒʤɪkəlɪ	fɪlə'laʤɪkəlɪ
philologist	fɪ'lɒləʤɪst	fɪ'laləʤɪst
philologists	fɪ'lɒləʤɪsts	fɪ'laləʤɪsts
philology	fɪ'lɒləʤɪ	fɪ'laləʤɪ
philosopher	fɪ'lɒsəfə(r	fɪ'lasəfə
philosophers	fɪ'lɒsəfəz	fɪ'lasəfəz
philosophical	fɪlə'sɒfɪkəl	fɪlə'safɪkəl
philosophically	fɪlə'sɒfɪkəlɪ	fɪlə'safɪkəlɪ
philosophy	fɪ'lɒsəfɪ	fɪ'lasəfɪ
philosophies	fɪ'lɒsəfɪz	fɪ'lasəfɪz
phonetic	fə'nɛtɪk, foʊ'nɛtɪk	
phonetically	fə'nɛtɪkəlɪ foʊ'nɛtɪkəlɪ	
phonetician	foʊnɪ'tɪʃən, fɒnɪ'tɪʃən	
phoneticians	foʊnɪ'tɪʃənz fɒnɪ'tɪʃənz	
phonetics	fə'nɛtɪks, foʊ'nɛtɪks	
phonograph	'foʊnəgræf 'foʊnəgraf	'foʊnəgraf
phonographs	'foʊnəgræfs 'foʊnəgrafs	'foʊnəgrafs
photo	'foʊtoʊ	
photos	'foʊtoʊz	
photograph	'foʊtəgraf, 'foʊtəgræf	'foʊtəgraf
photographs	'foʊtəgrafs 'foʊtəgræfs	'foʊtəgrafs
photographer	fə'tɒgrəfə(r	fə'tagrəfə
photographers	fə'tɒgrəfəz	fə'tagrəfəz
photographic	foʊtə'græfɪk	
photography	fə'tɒgrəfɪ	fə'tagrəfɪ
phrase	freɪz	
phrases	'freɪzɪz	
physic	'fɪzɪk	
physical	'fɪzɪkəl	
physically	'fɪzɪkəlɪ	
physician	fɪ'zɪʃən	
physicians	fɪ'zɪʃənz	
physicist	'fɪzɪsɪst	
physicists	'fɪzɪsɪsts	
physics	'fɪzɪks	
physiological	fɪzɪə'lɒʤɪkəl	fɪzɪə'laʤɪkəl
physiologically	fɪzɪə'lɒʤɪkəlɪ	fɪzɪə'laʤɪkəlɪ
physique	fɪ'zi·k	
pianist	'piənɪst, pɪ'ænɪst	
pianists	'piənɪsts, pɪ'ænɪsts	

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piano	pɪ'ænoʊ, 'pjænoʊ	
pianos	pɪ'ænoʊz, 'pjænoʊz	
pick	pɪk	
picks	pɪks	
picked	pɪkt	
picking	'pɪkɪŋ	
pickle	'pɪkl̩	
pickles	'pɪkl̩z	
pickled	'pɪkl̩d	
pickling	'pɪklɪŋ	
pictorial	pɪk'tɔːrɪəl	
pictorially	pɪk'tɔːrɪəlɪ	
picture	'pɪktʃə(r	'pɪktʃə
pictures	'pɪktʃəz	'pɪktʃəz
picturesque	pɪktʃə'rɛsk	
picturesquely	pɪktʃə'rɛsklɪ	
pie	paɪ	
pies	paɪz	
piece	piːs	
pieces	'piːsɪz	
pieced	piːst	
piecing	'piːsɪŋ	
pier	pɪə(r	pɪə
piers	pɪəz	pɪəz
pierce	pɪəs	pɪəs
pierces	'pɪəsɪz	'pɪəsɪz
pierced	pɪəst	pɪəst
piercing	'pɪəsɪŋ	'pɪəsɪŋ
piety	'paɪətɪ, 'paɪɪtɪ	
pig	pɪg	
pigs	pɪgz	
pigeon	'pɪʤɪn, 'pɪʤən	
pigeons	'pɪʤɪnz, 'pɪʤənz	
pile	paɪl	
piles	paɪlz	
piled	paɪld	
piling	'paɪlɪŋ	
pilgrim	'pɪlgrɪm	
pilgrims	'pɪlgrɪmz	
pilgrimage	'pɪlgrɪmɪʤ	
pilgrimages	'pɪlgrɪmɪʤɪz	
pill	pɪl	
pills	pɪlz	
pillar	'pɪlə(r	'pɪlə
pillars	'pɪləz	'pɪləz
pillow	'pɪloʊ	
pillows	'pɪloʊz	

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pilot	ˈpaɪlət	
pilots	ˈpaɪləts	
piloted	ˈpaɪlətɪd	
piloting	ˈpaɪlətɪŋ	
pimple	ˈpɪmpl̩	
pimples	ˈpɪmpl̩z	
pin	pɪn	
pins	pɪnz	
pinned	pɪnd	
pinning	ˈpɪnɪŋ	
pinch	pɪntʃ	
pinches	ˈpɪntʃɪz	
pinched	pɪntʃt	
pinching	ˈpɪntʃɪŋ	
pine	paɪn	
pines	paɪnz	
pink	pɪŋk	
pint	paɪnt	
pints	paɪnts	
pioneer	paɪəˈnɪə(r	paɪɔˈnɪə
pioneers	paɪəˈnɪəz	paɪəˈnɪəz
pious	ˈpaɪəs	
piously	ˈpaɪəslɪ	
pip	pɪp	
pips	pɪps	
pipe	paɪp	
pipes	paɪps	
piracy	ˈpaɪərəsɪ	ˈpaɪrəsɪ
pirate	ˈpaɪərət	ˈpaɪrət
pirates	ˈpaɪərəts	ˈpaɪrəts
pistol	ˈpɪstl̩	
pistols	ˈpɪstl̩z	
piston	ˈpɪstən	
pistons	ˈpɪstənz	
pit	pɪt	
pits	pɪts	
pitch	pɪtʃ	
pitches	ˈpɪtʃɪz	
pitched	pɪtʃt	
pitching	ˈpɪtʃɪŋ	
pitiable	ˈpɪtɪəbl̩	
pitiful	ˈpɪtɪful	
pitifully	ˈpɪtɪfulɪ, ˈpɪtɪfəlɪ	
pitiless	ˈpɪtɪlɪs	
pitilessly	ˈpɪtɪlɪslɪ	
pity	ˈpɪtɪ	
pities	ˈpɪtɪz	

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pitied	ˈpɪtɪd	
pitying	ˈpɪtɪɪŋ	
placard	ˈplækɑd	ˈplækɑəd
placards	ˈplækɑdz	ˈplækɑədz
place	pleɪs	
places	ˈpleɪsɪz	
placed	pleɪst	
placing	ˈpleɪsɪŋ	
plague	pleɪg	
plagues	pleɪgz	
plagued	pleɪgd	
plaguing	ˈpleɪgɪŋ	
plain	pleɪn	
plains	pleɪnz	
plainer	ˈpleɪnə(r	ˈpleɪnə
plainest	ˈpleɪnɪst	
plainly	ˈpleɪnlɪ	
plaintiff	ˈpleɪntɪf	
plaintiffs	ˈpleɪntɪfs	
plan	plæn	
plans	plænz	
planned	plænd	
planning	ˈplænɪŋ	
plane	pleɪn	
planes	pleɪnz	
planet	ˈplænɪt	
planets	ˈplænɪts	
plank	ˈplæŋk	
planks	ˈplæŋks	
plant	plɑːnt	plaːnt
plants	plɑːnts	plaːnts
planted	ˈplɑːntɪd	ˈplaːntɪd
planting	ˈplɑːntɪŋ	ˈplaːntɪŋ
planter	ˈplɑːntə(r	ˈplaːntə
planters	ˈplɑːntəz	ˈplaːntəz
plantation	plænˈteɪʃən	
plantations	plænˈteɪʃənz	
plaster	ˈplɑːstə(r	ˈplaːstə
plasters	ˈplɑːstəz	ˈplaːstəz
plate	pleɪt	
plates	pleɪts	
plateau	ˈplætoʊ	
plateaus	ˈplætoʊz	
plateaux	ˈplætoʊ	
plateful	ˈpleɪtful	
platefuls	ˈpleɪtfulz	
platform	ˈplætfɔm	ˈplætfɔəm

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platforms	ˈplætfɔmz	ˈplætfɔəmz
play	pleɪ	
plays	pleɪz	
played	pleɪd	
playing	ˈpleɪɪŋ	
player	ˈpleɪə(r	ˈpleɪə
players	ˈpleɪəz	ˈpleɪəz
playful	ˈpleɪful	
playfully	ˈpleɪfulɪ, ˈpleɪfəlɪ	
plaything	ˈpleɪθɪŋ	
playthings	ˈpleɪθɪŋz	
plea	pliˑ	
pleas	pliˑz	
plead	pliˑd	
pleads	pliˑdz	
pleaded	ˈpliˑdɪd	
pleading	ˈpliˑdɪŋ	
pleasant	ˈplɛzn̩t	
pleasanter	ˈplɛzn̩tə(r	ˈplɛzn̩tə
pleasantest	ˈplɛzn̩tɪst	
pleasantly	ˈplɛzn̩tlɪ	
please	pliˑz	
pleases	ˈpliˑzɪz	
pleased	pliˑzd	
pleasing	ˈpliˑzɪŋ	
pleasingly	ˈpliˑzɪŋlɪ	
pleasure	ˈplɛʒə(r	ˈplɛʒə
pleasures	ˈplɛʒəz	ˈplɛʒəz
pledge	plɛʤ	
pledges	ˈplɛʤɪz	
pledged	ˈplɛʤd	
pledging	ˈplɛʤɪŋ	
plentiful	ˈplɛntɪful	
plentifully	ˈplɛntɪfulɪ, ˈplɛntɪfəlɪ	
plenty	ˈplɛntɪ	
plight	plaɪt	
plights	plaɪts	
plot	plɒt	plɑt
plots	plɒts	plɑts
plotted	ˈplɒtɪd	ˈplɑtɪd
plotting	ˈplɒtɪŋ	ˈplɑtɪŋ
plough	plaʊ	
ploughs	plaʊz	
ploughed	plaʊd	
ploughing	ˈplaʊɪŋ	
pluck	plʌk	
plucky	ˈplʌkɪ	

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plug	plʌg	
plugs	plʌgz	
plum	plʌm	
plums	plʌmz	
plume	pluˈm	
plumes	pluˈmz	
plump	plʌmp	
plunder	ˈplʌndə(r	ˈplʌndə
plunders	ˈplʌndəz	ˈplʌndəz
plundered	ˈplʌndəd	ˈplʌndəd
plundering	ˈplʌndərɪŋ	
plunderer	ˈplʌndərə(r	ˈplʌndərə
plunderers	ˈplʌndərəz	ˈplʌndərəz
plunge	plʌnʤ	
plunges	ˈplʌnʤɪz	
plunged	plʌnʤd	
plunging	ˈplʌnʤɪŋ	
plural	ˈpluərəl	ˈpluˈrəl
plurals	ˈpluərəlz	ˈpluˈrəlz
plus	plʌs	
p.m.	ˈpiˈˈɛm	
pneumatic	nju′mætɪk	
pneumonia	nju′mounjə	
pocket	ˈpɒkɪt	ˈpɑkɪt
pockets	ˈpɒkɪts	ˈpɑkɪts
pocketed	ˈpɒkɪtɪd	ˈpɑkɪtɪd
pocketing	ˈpɒkɪtɪŋ	ˈpɑkɪtɪŋ
pocketful	ˈpɒkɪtful	ˈpɑkɪtful
pocketfuls	ˈpɒkɪtfulz	ˈpɑkɪtfulz
poem	ˈpouɪm	
poems	ˈpouɪmz	
poet	ˈpouɪt	
poets	ˈpouɪts	
poetic	pou′ɛtɪk	
poetically	pou′ɛtɪkəlɪ	
poetry	ˈpouɪtrɪ, ˈpɔɪtrɪ	
point	pɔɪnt	
points	pɔɪnts	
pointed	ˈpɔɪntɪd	
pointing	ˈpɔɪntɪŋ	
pointer	ˈpɔɪntə(r	ˈpɔɪntə
pointers	ˈpɔɪntəz	ˈpɔɪntəz
pointless	ˈpɔɪntlɪs	
poison	ˈpɔɪzn̩	
poisons	ˈpɔɪzn̩z	
poisoned	ˈpɔɪzn̩d	
poisoning	ˈpɔɪznɪŋ, ˈpɔɪzn̩ɪŋ	

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poisonous	ˈpɔɪznəs, ˈpɔɪzn̩əs	
poke	pouk	
pokes	pouks	
poked	poukt	
poking	ˈpoukɪŋ	
Poland	ˈpoulənd	
polar	ˈpoulə(r	ˈpoulə
pole	poul	
poles	poulz	
Pole	poul	
Poles	poulz	
police	pəˈliːs, pouˈliːs	
policeman	pəˈliːsmən	
	pouˈliːsmən	
policemen	pəˈliːsmən	
	pouˈliːsmən	
policy	ˈpɒlɪsɪ, ˈpɒləsɪ	ˈpalɪsɪ, ˈpaləsɪ
policies	ˈpɒlɪsɪz, ˈpɒləsɪz	ˈpalɪsɪz, ˈpaləsɪz
polish	ˈpɒlɪʃ	ˈpalɪʃ
polishes	ˈpɒlɪʃɪz	ˈpalɪʃɪz
polished	ˈpɒlɪʃt	ˈpalɪʃt
polishing	ˈpɒlɪʃɪŋ	ˈpalɪʃɪŋ
Polish, *adj.*	ˈpoulɪʃ	
polite	pəˈlaɪt, pouˈlaɪt	
politely	pəˈlaɪtlɪ, pouˈlaɪtlɪ	
politeness	pəˈlaɪtnɪs, pouˈlaɪtnɪs	
political	pəˈlɪtɪkəl	
politician	pɒlɪˈtɪʃən	palɪˈtɪʃən
politicians	pɒlɪˈtɪʃənz	palɪˈtɪʃənz
Polynesia	pɒlɪˈniːzɪə	palɪˈniːzɪə
pomp	pɒmp	pamp
pompous	ˈpɒmpəs	ˈpampəs
pond	pɒnd	pand
ponds	pɒndz	pandz
ponder	ˈpɒndə(r	ˈpandə
ponders	ˈpɒndəz	ˈpandəz
pondered	ˈpɒndəd	ˈpandəd
pondering	ˈpɒndərɪŋ	ˈpandərɪŋ
ponderous	ˈpɒndərəs	ˈpandərəs
pony	ˈpounɪ	
ponies	ˈpounɪz	
pool	puːl	
pools	puːlz	
pooled	puːld	
pooling	ˈpuːlɪŋ	
poor	puə(r, pɔə(r	puə
poorer	ˈpuərə(r, ˈpɔərə(r	ˈpuːrə

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poorest	ˈpʊərɪst, ˈpɔərɪst	ˈpuˑrɪst
poorly	ˈpʊəlɪ, ˈpɔəlɪ	ˈpʊəlɪ
poorness	ˈpʊənɪs, ˈpɔənɪs	ˈpʊənɪs
pope	poʊp	
popes	poʊps	
popular	ˈpɒpjʊlə(r, ˈpɒpjələ(r	ˈpɑpjʊlə, ˈpɑpjələ
popularity	pɒpjʊˈlærɪtɪ	pɑpjʊˈlærɪtɪ
	pɒpjəˈlærɪtɪ	pɑpjəˈlærɪtɪ
popularize (s)	ˈpɒpjʊləraɪz	ˈpɑpjʊləraɪz
	ˈpɒpjələraɪz	ˈpɑpjələraɪz
popularizes	ˈpɒpjʊləraɪzɪz	ˈpɑpjʊləraɪzɪz
	ˈpɒpjələraɪzɪz	ˈpɑpjələraɪzɪz
popularized	ˈpɒpjʊləraɪzd	ˈpɑpjʊləraɪzd
	ˈpɒpjələraɪzd	ˈpɑpjələraɪzd
popularizing	ˈpɒpjʊləraɪzɪŋ	ˈpɑpjʊləraɪzɪŋ
	ˈpɒpjələraɪzɪŋ	ˈpɑpjələraɪzɪŋ
popularly	ˈpɒpjʊləlɪ, ˈpɒpjələlɪ	ˈpɑpjʊləlɪ, ˈpɑpjələlɪ
population	pɒpjʊˈleɪʃən	pɑpjʊˈleɪʃən
populations	pɒpjʊˈleɪʃənz	pɑpjʊˈleɪʃənz
porcelain	ˈpɔˑslɪn, ˈpɔˑsleɪn	ˈpɔəslɪn
porch	pɔˑtʃ	poətʃ
porches	ˈpɔˑtʃɪz	ˈpoətʃɪz
pore	pɔˑ(r, pɔə(r	poə
pores	pɔˑz, pɔəz	poəz
pork	pɔˑk	poək
porridge	ˈpɒrɪdʒ	ˈpɑrɪdʒ
port	pɔˑt	poət
ports	pɔˑts	poəts
portable	ˈpɔˑtəbl̩	ˈpoətəbl̩
porter	ˈpɔˑtə(r	ˈpoətə
porters	ˈpɔˑtəz	ˈpoətəz
portfolio	pɔtˈfoʊlɪoʊ	poətˈfoʊlɪoʊ
portfolios	pɔtˈfoʊlɪoʊz	poətˈfoʊlɪoʊz
portion	ˈpɔˑʃən	ˈpoəʃən
portions	ˈpɔˑʃənz	ˈpoəʃənz
portmanteau	pɔtˈmæntoʊ	poətˈmæntoʊ
portmanteaus	pɔtˈmæntoʊz	poətˈmæntoʊz
portrait	ˈpɔˑtrɪt	ˈpoətrɪt
portraits	ˈpɔˑtrɪts	ˈpoətrɪts
Portsmouth	ˈpɔˑtsməθ	ˈpoətsməθ
Portugal	ˈpɔˑtjʊgəl, ˈpɔˑtʃʊgəl	ˈpoətjʊgəl, ˈpoətʃʊgəl
Portuguese	pɔtjʊˈgiˑz	poətjʊˈgiˑz
	pɔtʃʊˈgiˑz	poətʃʊˈgiˑz
		poətjʊˈgiˑs
		poətʃʊˈgiˑs
pose	poʊz	
poses	ˈpoʊzɪz	

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posed	pouzd	
posing	ˈpouzɪŋ	
position	†pəˈzɪʃən	
positions	†pəˈzɪʃənz	
positive	ˈpɒzətɪv, ˈpɒzɪtɪv	ˈpazətɪv, ˈpazɪtɪv
positively	ˈpɒzətɪvlɪ, ˈpɒzɪtɪvlɪ	ˈpazətɪvlɪ, ˈpazɪtɪvlɪ
possess	†pəˈzɛs	
possesses	†pəˈzɛsɪz	
possessed	†pəˈzɛst	
possessing	†pəˈzɛsɪŋ	
possession	†pəˈzɛʃən	
possessions	†pəˈzɛʃənz	
possessive	†pəˈzɛsɪv	
possessives	†pəˈzɛsɪvz	
possessor	†pəˈzɛsə(r	pəˈzɛsə
possessors	†pəˈzɛsəz	pəˈzɛsəz
possibility	pɒsɪˈbɪlɪtɪ	pasɪˈbɪlɪtɪ
	pɒsəˈbɪlɪtɪ	pasəˈbɪlɪtɪ
possibilities	pɒsɪˈbɪlɪtɪz	pasɪˈbɪlɪtɪz
	pɒsəˈbɪlɪtɪz	pasəˈbɪlɪtɪz
possible	ˈpɒsɪbl̩, ˈpɒsəbl̩	ˈpasɪbl̩, ˈpasəbl̩
possibly	ˈpɒsɪblɪ, ˈpɒsəblɪ	ˈpasɪblɪ, ˈpasəblɪ
post	poʊst	
posts	poʊsts	
posted	ˈpoʊstɪd	
posting	ˈpoʊstɪŋ	
postage	ˈpoʊstɪʤ	
postages	ˈpoʊstɪʤɪz	
postal	ˈpoʊstəl	
postcard	ˈpoʊsˈtkad	ˈpoʊsˈtkaəd
postcards	ˈpoʊsˈtkadz	ˈpoʊsˈtkaədz
poster	ˈpoʊstə(r	ˈpoʊstə
posters	ˈpoʊstəz	ˈpoʊstəz
postman	ˈpoʊsˈtmən	
postmen	ˈpoʊsˈtmən	
postmark	ˈpoʊsˈtmak	ˈpoʊsˈtmaək
postmarks	ˈpoʊsˈtmaks	ˈpoʊsˈtmaəks
postmaster	ˈpoʊsˈtmastə(r	ˈpoʊsˈtmastə
postmasters	ˈpoʊsˈtmastəz	ˈpoʊsˈtmastəz
post-office	ˈpoʊstɒfɪs	ˈpoʊstɑfɪs
post-offices	ˈpoʊstɒfɪsɪz	ˈpoʊstɑfɪsɪz
postpone	poʊstˈpoʊn	
	pəsˈpoʊn	
postpones	poʊstˈpoʊnz	
	pəsˈpoʊnz	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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postponed	pousɪ'pound pəs'pound	
postponing	pousɪ'pounɪŋ pəs'pounɪŋ	
postponement	pousɪ'pounmənt pəs'pounmənt	
postponements	pousɪ'pounmənts pəs'pounmənts	
postscript	'pousskrɪpt	
postscripts	'pousskrɪpts	
pot	pɒt	pɑt
pots	pɒts	pɑts
potato	†pə'teɪtou	
potatos	†pə'teɪtouz	
pottery	'pɒtərɪ	'pɑtərɪ
pouch	paʊtʃ	
pouches	'paʊtʃɪz	
poultry	'poultrɪ	
pound	paʊnd	
pounds	paʊndz	
pour	pɔ·(r, pɔə(r	poə
pours	pɔ·z, pɔəz	poəz
poured	pɔ·d, pɔəd	poəd
pouring	'pɔ·rɪŋ, 'pɔərɪŋ	'po·rɪŋ
poverty	'pɒvətɪ	'pɑvətɪ
powder	'paʊdə(r	'paʊdə
powders	'paʊdəz	'paʊdəz
powdered	'paʊdəd	'paʊdəd
powdering	'paʊdərɪŋ	
power	'paʊə(r	'paʊə
powers	'paʊəz	'paʊəz
powerful	'paʊəfʊl	'paʊəfʊl
powerfully	'paʊəfʊlɪ, 'paʊəfəlɪ	'paʊəfʊlɪ, 'paʊəfəl
powerless	'paʊəlɪs	'paʊəlɪs
practicability	præktɪkə'bɪlɪtɪ	
practicable	'præktɪkəbl̩	
practicably	'præktɪkəblɪ	
practical	'præktɪkəl	
practically, *in a practical manner*	'præktɪkəlɪ	
practically, *very nearly*	'præktɪklɪ	
practice, *noun*	'præktɪs	
practices	'præktɪsɪz	
practise, *verb*	'præktɪs	

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practises	ˈpræktɪsɪz	
practised	ˈpræktɪst	
practising	ˈpræktɪsɪŋ	
Prague	preɪg, prɑˈg	
prairie	ˈprɛərɪ	ˈprɛˑrɪ
prairies	ˈprɛərɪz	ˈprɛˑrɪz
praise	preɪz	
praises	ˈpreɪzɪz	
praised	preɪzd	
praising	ˈpreɪzɪŋ	
praiseworthy	ˈpreɪzwəðɪ	ˈpreɪzwəəðɪ
pray	preɪ	
prays	preɪz	
prayed	preɪd	
praying	ˈpreɪɪŋ	
prayer	ˈprɛə(r	ˈprɛə
prayers	ˈprɛəz	ˈprɛəz
preach	priˑtʃ	
preaches	ˈpriˑtʃɪz	
preached	priˑtʃt	
preaching	ˈpriˑtʃɪŋ	
preacher	ˈpriˑtʃə(r	ˈpriˑtʃə
preachers	ˈpriˑtʃəz	ˈpriˑtʃəz
prearrange	ˈpriˑəˈreɪnʤ	
prearranges	ˈpriˑəˈreɪnʤɪz	
prearranged	ˈpriˑəˈreɪnʤd	
prearranging	ˈpriˑəˈreɪnʤɪŋ	
precaution	prɪˈkɔˑʃən	
precautions	prɪˈkɔˑʃənz	
precede	ˈpriˑˈsiˑd	
precedes	ˈpriˑˈsiˑdz	
preceded	ˈpriˑˈsiˑdɪd	
preceding	ˈpriˑˈsiˑdɪŋ	
precedence	priˈsiˑdəns, ˈprɛsɪdəns	
precedent	ˈprɛsɪdənt	
precedents	ˈprɛsɪdənts	
precious	ˈprɛʃəs	
preciously	ˈprɛʃəslɪ	
precipice	ˈprɛsɪpɪs	
precipices	ˈprɛsɪpɪsɪz	
precise	prɪˈsaɪs, prəˈsaɪs	
precisely	prɪˈsaɪslɪ, prəˈsaɪslɪ	
precision	prɪˈsɪʒən	
preclude	prɪˈkluˑd	
precludes	prɪˈkluˑdz	
precluded	prɪˈkluˑdɪd	
precluding	prɪˈkluˑdɪŋ	

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precocious	prɪ'koʊʃəs	
predecessor	'priˈdɪsɛsə(r	'priˈdɪsɛsə
	pridɪ'sɛsə(r	pridɪ'sɛsə
		'prɛdɪsɛsə
		prɛdɪ'sɛsə
predecessors	'priˈdɪsɛsəz	'priˈdɪsɛsəz
	pridɪ'sɛsəz	'prɛdɪsɛsəz
		pridɪ'sɛsəz
		prɛdɪ'sɛsəz
predicament	prɪ'dɪkəmənt	
	prə'dɪkəmənt	
predicaments	prɪ'dɪkəɪmənts	
	prə'dɪkəmənts	
predicate	'prɛdɪkɪt, 'prɛdɪkeɪt	
predicates	'prɛdɪkɪts	
	'prɛdɪkeɪts	
predict	prɪ'dɪkt, prə'dɪkt	
predicts	prɪ'dɪkts, prə'dɪkts	
predicted	prɪ'dɪktɪd	
	prə'dɪktɪd	
predicting	prɪ'dɪktɪŋ	
	prə'dɪktɪŋ	
prediction	prɪ'dɪkʃən	
	prə'dɪkʃən	
predictions	prɪ'dɪkʃənz	
	prə'dɪkʃənz	
predominate	prɪ'dɒmɪneɪt	prɪ'dɑmɪneɪt
predominates	prɪ'dɒmɪneɪts	prɪ'dɑmɪneɪts
predominated	prɪ'dɒmɪneɪtɪd	prɪ'dɑmɪneɪtɪd
predominating	prɪ'dɒmɪneɪtɪŋ	prɪ'dɑmɪneɪtɪŋ
preface	'prɛfɪs	
prefaces	'prɛfɪsɪz	
prefaced	'prɛfɪst	
prefacing	'prɛfɪsɪŋ	
prefer	prɪ'fɜˈ(r	prɪ'fɜə
prefers	prɪ'fɜˈz	prɪ'fɜəz
preferred	prɪ'fɜˈd	prɪ'fɜəd
preferring	prɪ'fɜˈrɪŋ	
preferable	'prɛfərəbl̩	
preferably	'prɛfərəblɪ	
preference	'prɛfərəns	
preferences	'prɛfərənsɪz	
prefix	'priˈfɪks	
prefixes	'priˈfɪksɪz	
prehistoric	'priˈhɪs'tɒrɪk	'priˈhɪs'tɑrɪk
prejudice	'prɛʤʊdɪs, 'prɛʤədɪs	

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prejudices	ˈprɛʤudɪsɪz ˈprɛʤədɪsɪz	
prejudiced	ˈprɛʤudɪst ˈprɛʤədɪst	
prejudicing	ˈprɛʤudɪsɪŋ ˈprɛʤədɪsɪŋ	
prejudicial	prɛʤuˈdɪʃəl prɛʤəˈdɪʃəl	
preliminary	prɪˈlɪmɪnərɪ prəˈlɪmɪnərɪ	prɪˈlɪmɪnɛrɪ prəˈlɪmɪnɛrɪ
preliminaries	prɪˈlɪmɪnərɪz prəˈlɪmɪnərɪz	prɪˈlɪmɪnɛrɪz prəˈlɪmɪnɛrɪz
prelude	ˈprɛljud	ˈpriˑljud
preludes	ˈprɛljudz	ˈpriˑljudz
premature	prɛməˈtjuə(r priməˈtjuə(r	prɛməˈtjuə priməˈtjuə
prematurely	prɛməˈtjuəlɪ priməˈtjuəlɪ	prɛməˈtjuəlɪ priməˈtjuəlɪ
premeditate	priˈmɛdɪteɪt	
premeditates	priˈmɛdɪteɪts	
premeditated	priˈmɛdɪteɪtɪd	
premeditating	priˈmɛdɪteɪtɪŋ	
premeditation	primɛdɪˈteɪʃən	
premier	ˈprɛmjə(r	ˈprɛmjə
premiers	ˈprɛmjəz	ˈprɛmjəz
premises	ˈprɛmɪsɪz	
premium	ˈpriˑmɪəm	
premiums	ˈpriˑmɪəmz	
preparation	prɛpəˈreɪʃən	
preparations	prɛpəˈreɪʃənz	
preparatory	prɪˈpærətərɪ	prɪˈpæretorɪ
prepare	prɪˈpɛə(r	prɪˈpɛə
prepares	prɪˈpɛəz	prɪˈpɛəz
prepared	prɪˈpɛəd	prɪˈpɛəd
preparing	prɪˈpɛərɪŋ	prɪˈpɛˑrɪŋ
preposition	prɛpəˈzɪʃən	
prepositions	prɛpəˈzɪʃənz	
preposterous	prɪˈpɒstərəs prəˈpɒstərəs	prɪˈpɑstərəs prəˈpɑstərəs
prescribe	prɪsˈkraɪb	
prescribes	prɪsˈkraɪbz	
prescribed	prɪsˈkraɪbd	
prescribing	prɪsˈkraɪbɪŋ	
prescription	prɪsˈkrɪpʃən prəsˈkrɪpʃən	
prescriptions	prɪsˈkrɪpʃənz prəsˈkrɪpʃənz	

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presence	ˈprɛzn̩s	
presences	ˈprɛzn̩sɪz	
present, *noun*	ˈprɛzn̩t	
presents	ˈprɛzn̩ts	
present, *verb*	prɪˈzɛnt	
presents	prɪˈzɛnts	
presented	prɪˈzɛntɪd	
presenting	prɪˈzɛntɪŋ	
presentable	prɪˈzɛntəbl̩	
	prəˈzɛntəbl̩	
presentation	prɛzənˈteɪʃən	
	prɛzɛnˈteɪʃən	
presentations	prɛzənˈteɪʃənz	
	prɛzɛnˈteɪʃənz	
presently	ˈprɛzn̩tlɪ	
preserve	prɪˈzɜˑv	prɪˈzəəv
preserves	prɪˈzɜˑvz	prɪˈzəəvz
preserved	prɪˈzɜˑvd	prɪˈzəəvd
preserving	prɪˈzɜˑvɪŋ	prɪˈzəəvɪŋ
preserver	prɪˈzɜˑvə(r	prɪˈzəəvə
preservers	prɪˈzɜˑvəz	prɪˈzəəvəz
preside	prɪˈzaɪd	
presides	prɪˈzaɪdz	
presided	prɪˈzaɪdɪd	
presiding	prɪˈzaɪdɪŋ	
presidency	ˈprɛzɪdənsɪ	
president	ˈprɛzɪdənt	
presidents	ˈprɛzɪdənts	
presidential	prɛzɪˈdɛnʃəl	
press	prɛs	
presses	ˈprɛsɪz	
pressed	prɛst	
pressing	ˈprɛsɪŋ	
pressingly	ˈprɛsɪŋlɪ	
pressure	ˈprɛʃə(r	ˈprɛʃə
presume	prɪˈzjuˑm	
presumes	prɪˈzjuˑmz	
presumed	prɪˈzjuˑmd	
presuming	prɪˈzjuˑmɪŋ	
pretence	prɪˈtɛns	
pretences	prɪˈtɛnsɪz	
pretend	prɪˈtɛnd	
pretends	prɪˈtɛndz	
pretended	prɪˈtɛndɪd	
pretending	prɪˈtɛndɪŋ	
pretentious	prɪˈtɛnʃəs	
preterite	ˈprɛtərɪt	

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preterites	ˈprɛtərɪts	
pretext	ˈpriːtɛkst	
pretexts	ˈpriːtɛksts	
Pretoria	prɪˈtɔːrɪə	
pretty	ˈprɪtɪ	
prettier	ˈprɪtɪə(r	
prettiest	ˈprɪtɪɪst	
prettily	ˈprɪtɪlɪ	
prettiness	ˈprɪtɪnɪs	
prevail	prɪˈveɪl	
prevails	prɪˈveɪlz	
prevailed	prɪˈveɪld	
prevailing	prɪˈveɪlɪŋ	
prevalence	ˈprɛvələns	
prevalent	ˈprɛvələnt	
prevent	prɪˈvɛnt	
prevents	prɪˈvɛnts	
prevented	prɪˈvɛntɪd	
preventing	prɪˈvɛntɪŋ	
prevention	prɪˈvɛnʃən	
previous	ˈpriːvɪəs, ˈpriːvjəs	
previously	ˈpriːvɪəslɪ, ˈpriːvjəslɪ	
prey	preɪ	
preys	preɪz	
preyed	preɪd	
preying	ˈpreɪɪŋ	
price	praɪs	
prices	ˈpraɪsɪz	
priceless	ˈpraɪslɪs	
prick	prɪk	
pricks	prɪks	
pricked	prɪkt	
pricking	ˈprɪkɪŋ	
prickly	ˈprɪklɪ	
pride	praɪd	
priest	priːst	
priests	priːsts	
prig	prɪg	
prigs	prɪgz	
prim	prɪm	
primary	ˈpraɪmərɪ	
prime minister	ˈpraɪmˈmɪnɪstə(r	ˈpraɪm ˈmɪnɪstə
prime ministers	ˈpraɪm ˈmɪnɪstəz	ˈpraɪm ˈmɪnɪstəz
primer	ˈpraɪmə(r, ˈprɪmə(r	ˈpraɪmə, ˈprɪmə
primers	ˈpraɪməz, ˈprɪməz	ˈpraɪməz, ˈprɪməz
primitive	ˈprɪmɪtɪv	
primitively	ˈprɪmɪtɪvlɪ	

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primly	ˈprɪmlɪ	
primness	ˈprɪmnɪs	
primrose	ˈprɪmroʊz	
primroses	ˈprɪmroʊzɪz	
prince	prɪns	
princes	ˈprɪnsɪz	
princess	ˈprɪnˈsɛs	
princesses	ˈprɪnˈsɛsɪz	
principal	ˈprɪnsɪpəl, ˈprɪnsəpəl	
principals	ˈprɪnsɪpəlz	
	ˈprɪnsəpəlz	
principally	ˈprɪnsɪpəlɪ, ˈprɪnsəpəlɪ	
principle	ˈprɪnsɪpl̩, ˈprɪnsəpl̩	
principles	ˈprɪnsɪpl̩z	
	ˈprɪnsəpl̩z	
print	prɪnt	
prints	prɪnts	
printed	ˈprɪntɪd	
printing	ˈprɪntɪŋ	
printer	ˈprɪntə(r	ˈprɪntə
printers	ˈprɪntəz	ˈprɪntəz
prism	ˈprɪzm̩	
prisms	ˈprɪzm̩z	
prison	ˈprɪzn̩	
prisons	ˈprɪzn̩z	
prisoner	ˈprɪzn̩ə(r, ˈprɪznə(r	ˈprɪzn̩ə
prisoners	ˈprɪzn̩əz, ˈprɪznəz	ˈprɪzn̩əz
privacy	ˈpraɪvəsɪ, ˈprɪvəsɪ	
private	ˈpraɪvɪt	
privately	ˈpraɪvɪtlɪ	
privileǵe	ˈprɪvɪlɪʤ	
privileges	ˈprɪvɪlɪʤɪz	
prize	praɪz	
prizes	ˈpraɪzɪz	
prized	praɪzd	
prizing	ˈpraɪzɪŋ	
pro	proʊ	
probability	prɒbəˈbɪlɪtɪ	prɑbəˈbɪlɪtɪ
probabilities	prɒbəˈbɪlɪtɪz	prɑbəˈbɪlɪtɪz
probable	ˈprɒbəbl̩	ˈprɑbəbl̩
probably	ˈprɒbəblɪ	ˈprɑbəblɪ
problem	ˈprɒbləm	ˈprɑbləm
problems	ˈprɒbləmz	ˈprɑbləmz
procedure	†prəˈsiːʤə(r	prəˈsiːʤə
	†prəˈsiːdje(r	prəˈsiːdjʊə

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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procedures	†prə'siːʤəz	prə'siːʤəz
	†prə'siːdjəz	prə'siːdjʊəz
proceed	†prə'siːd	
proceeds	†prə'siːdz	
proceeded	†prə'siːdɪd	
proceeding	†prə'siːdɪŋ	
proceedings	†prə'siːdɪŋz	
proceeds, *noun*	'prəʊsidz	
process	'prəʊsɛs, 'prəʊsɪs	
	'prɒsɛs, 'prɒsɪs	'prɑsɛs, 'prɑsɪs
processes	'prəʊsɛsɪz	
	'prəʊsɪsɪz	
	'prɒsɛsɪz	'prɑsɛsɪz
	'prɒsɪsɪz	'prɒsɪsɪz
procession	†prə'sɛʃən	
processions	†prə'sɛʃənz	
proclaim	†prə'kleɪm	
proclaims	†prə'kleɪmz	
proclaimed	†prə'kleɪmd	
proclaiming	†prə'kleɪmɪŋ	
proclamation	prɒklə'meɪʃən	prɑklə'meɪʃən
proclamations	prɒklə'meɪʃənz	prɑklə'meɪʃənz
procure	†prə'kjʊə(r	prə'kjʊə
procures	†prə'kjʊəz	prə'kjʊəz
procured	†prə'kjʊəd	prə'kjʊəd
procuring	†prə'kjʊərɪŋ	prə'kjʊːrɪŋ
produce, *noun*	'prɒdjʊs	'prɑdjʊs
produce, *verb*	†prə'djʊːs	
produces	†prə'djʊːsɪz	
produced	†prə'djʊːst	
producing	†prə'djʊːsɪŋ	
product	'prɒdəkt, 'prɒdʌkt	'prɑdəkt, 'prɑdʌkt
products	'prɒdəkts	'prɑdəkts
	'prɒdʌkts	'prɑdʌkts
production	†prə'dʌkʃən	
productions	†prə'dʌkʃənz	
productive	†prə'dʌktɪv	
productively	†prə'dʌktɪvlɪ	
profess	†prə'fɛs	
professes	†prə'fɛsɪz	
professed	†prə'fɛst	
professing	†prə'fɛsɪŋ	
profession	†prə'fɛʃən	
professions	†prə'fɛʃənz	
professional	†prə'fɛʃənl	

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professor	†prə'fɛsə(r	prə'fɛsə
professors	†prə'fɛsəz	prə'fɛsəz
proficiency	†prə'fɪʃənsɪ	
proficient	†prə'fɪʃənt	
proficiently	†prə'fɪʃəntlɪ	
profit	'prɒfɪt	'prafɪt
profits	'prɒfɪts	'prafɪts
profited	'prɒfɪtɪd	'prafɪtɪd
profiting	'prɒfɪtɪŋ	'prafɪtɪŋ
profitable	'prɒfɪtəb|	'prafɪtəb|
profitably	'prɒfɪtəblɪ	'prafɪtəblɪ
profound	†prə'faʊnd	
profoundly	†prə'faʊndlɪ	
program (*Amer.*)	'prougræm	
programs (*Amer.*)	'prougræmz	
programme	'prougræm	
programmes	'prougræmz	
progress, *noun*	'prougrɛs, 'prɒgrɛs	'pragrɛs
progress, *verb*	†prə'grɛs	
progresses	†prə'grɛsɪz	
progressed	†prə'grɛst	
progressing	†prə'grɛsɪŋ	
progressive	†prə'grɛsɪv	
progressively	†prə'grɛsɪvlɪ	
prohibit	†prə'hɪbɪt	
prohibits	†prə'hɪbɪts	
prohibited	†prə'hɪbɪtɪd	
prohibiting	†prə'hɪbɪtɪŋ	
prohibition	prouhɪ'bɪʃən	
prohibitive	†prə'hɪbɪtɪv	
project, *noun*	'prɒʤɛkt, 'prɒʤɪkt	'praʤɛkt, 'praʤɪkt
projects	'prɒʤɛkts 'prɒʤɪkts	'praʤɛkts 'praʤɪkts
project, *verb*	†prə'ʤɛkt	
projects	†prə'ʤɛkts	
projected	†prə'ʤɛktɪd	
projecting	†prə'ʤɛktɪŋ	
projection	†prə'ʤɛkʃən	
projections	†prə'ʤɛkʃənz	
proletarian	proulɪ'tɛərɪən	proulɪ'tɛ·rɪən
prolog (*Amer.*)		
prologue	'proulɒg	'proulag
prologs (*Amer.*)		
prologues	'proulɒgz	'proulagz
prolong	†prə'lɒŋ	

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prolongs	†prə'lɒŋz	
prolonged	†prə'lɒŋd	
prolonging	†prə'lɒŋɪŋ	
prominence	'prɒmɪnəns	'pramɪnəns
prominent	'prɒmɪnənt	'pramɪnənt
prominently	'prɒmɪnəntlɪ	'pramɪnəntlɪ
promise	'prɒmɪs	'pramɪs
promises	'prɒmɪsɪz	'pramɪsɪz
promised	'prɒmɪst	'pramɪst
promising	'prɒmɪsɪŋ	'pramɪsɪŋ
promote	prə'moʊt	
promotes	prə'moʊts	
promoted	prə'moʊtɪd	
promoting	prə'moʊtɪŋ	
promotion	prə'moʊʃən	
promotions	prə'moʊʃənz	
prompt	prɒmpt	prampt
prompter	'prɒmptə(r	'prampta
promptest	'prɒmptɪst	'pramptɪst
prompts	prɒmpts	prampts
prompted	'prɒmptɪd	'prampt ɪd
prompting	'prɒmptɪŋ	'prampt ɪŋ
promptly	'prɒmptlɪ	'pramptlɪ
promptness	'prɒmptnɪs	'pramptnɪs
prong	prɒŋ	
prongs	prɒŋz	
pronoun	'proʊnaʊn	
pronouns	'proʊnaʊnz	
pronounce	†prə'naʊns	
pronounces	†prə'naʊnsɪz	
pronounced	†prə'naʊnst	
pronouncing	†prə'naʊnsɪŋ	
pronunciation	†prənʌnsɪ'eɪʃən	
pronunciations	†prənʌnsɪ'eɪʃənz	
proof	pru'f	
proofs	pru'fs	
propaganda	prɒpə'gændə	prapə'gændə
propagate	'prɒpəgeɪt	'prapə'geɪt
propagates	'prɒpəgeɪts	'prapə'geɪts
propagated	'prɒpəgeɪtɪd	'prapə'geɪtɪd
propagating	'prɒpəgeɪtɪŋ	'prapə'geɪtɪŋ
propel	prə'pɛl	
propels	prə'pɛlz	
propelled	prə'pɛld	
propelling	prə'pɛlɪŋ	

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propeller	†prə′pɛlə(r	prə′pɛlə
propellers	†prə′pɛləz	prə′pɛləz
proper	′prɒpə(r	′prapə
properly	′prɒpəlɪ	′prapəlɪ
property	′prɒpətɪ	′prapətɪ
properties	′prɒpətɪz	′prapətɪz
prophecy	′prɒfɪsɪ, ′prɒfɪsaɪ	′prafɪsɪ, ′prafɪsaɪ
prophecies	′prɒfɪsɪz, ′prɒfɪsaɪz	′prafɪsɪz, ′prafɪsaɪz
prophesy	′prɒfɪsaɪ	′prafɪsaɪ
prophesies	′prɒfɪsaɪz	′prafɪsaɪz
prophesied	′prɒfɪsaɪd	′prafɪsaɪd
prophesying	′prɒfɪsaɪɪŋ	′prafɪsaɪɪŋ
prophet	′prɒfɪt, ′prɒfɛt	′prafɪt, ′prafɛt
prophets	′prɒfɪts, ′prɒfɛts	′prafɪts, ′prafɛts
proportion	†prə′pɔ·ʃən	prə′poəʃən
proportions	†prə′pɔ·ʃənz	prə′poəʃənz
proportionate	†prə′pɔ·ʃənɪt	prə′poəʃənɪt
proportionately	†prə′pɔ·ʃənɪtlɪ	prə′poəʃənɪtlɪ
proposal	†prə′pouzəl	
proposals	†prə′pouzəlz	
propose	†prə′pouz	
proposes	†prə′pouzɪz	
proposed	†prə′pouzd	
proposing	†prə′pouzɪŋ	
proposer	†prə′pouzə(r	prə′pouzə
proposers	†prə′pouzəz	prə′pouzəz
proposition	prɒpə′zɪʃən	prapə′zɪʃən
propositions	prɒpə′zɪʃənz	prapə′zɪʃənz
proprietor	†prə′praɪətə(r	prə′praɪətə
proprietors	†prə′praɪətəz	prə′praɪətəz
proprietress	†prə′praɪətrɪs	prə′praɪətrɪs
proprietresses	†prə′praɪətrɪsɪz	prə′praɪətrɪsɪz
prosaic	prou′zeɪɪk, prə′zeɪɪk	
prose	prouz	
prosecute	′prɒsɪkjut	′prasɪkjut
prosecutes	′prɒsɪkjuts	′prasɪkjuts
prosecuted	′prɒsɪkjutɪd	′prasɪkjutɪd
prosecuting	′prɒsɪkjutɪŋ	′prasɪkjutɪŋ
prosecution	prɒsɪ′kju·ʃən	prasɪ′kju·ʃən
prosecutions	prɒsɪ′kju·ʃənz	prasɪ′kju·ʃənz
prospect, *noun*	′prɒspɛkt	′praspɛkt
prospects	′prɒspɛkts	′praspɛkts
prospectus	†prəs′pɛktəs	
prospectuses	†prəs′pɛktəsɪz	
prosper	′prɒspə(r	′praspə

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prospers	ˈprɒspəz	ˈprɑspəz
prospered	ˈprɒspəd	ˈprɑspəd
prospering	ˈprɒspərɪŋ	ˈprɑspərɪŋ
prosperity	prɒsˈpɛrɪtɪ	prɑsˈpɛrɪtɪ
prosperous	ˈprɒspərəs	ˈprɑspərəs
prosperously	ˈprɒspərəslɪ	ˈprɑspərəslɪ
protect	†prəˈtɛkt	
protects	†prəˈtɛkts	
protected	†prəˈtɛktɪd	
protecting	†prəˈtɛktɪŋ	
protection	†prəˈtɛkʃən	
protective	†prəˈtɛktɪv	
protector	†prəˈtɛktə(r	prəˈtɛktə
protectors	†prəˈtɛktəz	prəˈtɛktəz
protectorate	†prəˈtɛktərɪt	
protectorates	†prəˈtɛktərɪts	
protest, *noun*	ˈprəʊtɛst	
protests	ˈprəʊtɛsts	
protest, *verb*	†prəˈtɛst	
protests	†prəˈtɛsts	
protested	†prəˈtɛstɪd	
protesting	†prəˈtɛstɪŋ	
protestant	ˈprɒtɪstənt	ˈprɑtɪstənt
protestants	ˈprɒtɪstənts	ˈprɑtɪstənts
proud	praʊd	
prouder	ˈpraʊdə(r	ˈpraʊdə
proudest	ˈpraʊdɪst	
proudly	ˈpraʊdlɪ	
prove	pruːv	
proves	pruːvz	
proved	pruːvd	
proving	ˈpruːvɪŋ	
proverb	ˈprɒvəb, ˈprɒvɜb	ˈprɑvəb, ˈprɑvɜəb
proverbs	ˈprɒvəbz, ˈprɒvɜbz	ˈprɑvəbz, ˈprɑvɜəbz
proverbial	†prəˈvɜːbɪəl	prəˈvɜəbɪəl
proverbially	†prəˈvɜːbɪəlɪ	prəˈvɜəbɪəlɪ
	†prəˈvɜːbjəlɪ	
provide	†prəˈvaɪd	
provides	†prəˈvaɪdz	
provided	†prəˈvaɪdɪd	
providing	†prəˈvaɪdɪŋ	
providence	ˈprɒvɪdəns	ˈprɑvɪdəns
provident	ˈprɒvɪdənt	ˈprɑvɪdənt
providently	ˈprɒvɪdəntlɪ	ˈprɑvɪdəntlɪ
providential	prɒvɪˈdɛnʃəl	prɑvɪˈdɛnʃəl

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providentially	prɒvɪ'dɛnʃəlɪ	prɑvɪ'dɛnʃəlɪ
province	'prɒvɪns	'prɑvɪns
provinces	'prɒvɪnsɪz	'prɑvɪnsɪz
provincial	†prə'vɪnʃəl	
provision	†prə'vɪʒən	
provisions	†prə'vɪʒənz	
provisional	†prə'vɪʒən|	
provisionally	†prə'vɪʒənəlɪ	
provocation	prɒvə'keɪʃən	prɑvə'keɪʃən
provocations	prɒvə'keɪʃənz	prɑvə'keɪʃənz
provoke	†prə'vouk	
provokes	†prə'vouks	
provoked	†prə'voukt	
provoking	†prə'voukɪŋ	
prudence	'pru·dəns	
prudent	'pru·dənt	
prudently	'pru·dəntlɪ	
prune	pru·n	
prunes	pru·nz	
Prussia	'prʌʃə	
Prussian	'prʌʃən	
Prussians	'prʌʃənz	
psychological	saɪkə'lɒʤɪkəl	saɪkə'lɑʤɪkəl
psychologically	saɪkə'lɒʤɪkəlɪ	saɪkə'lɑʤɪkəlɪ
psychologist	saɪ'kɒləʤɪst	saɪ'kɑləʤɪst
psychologists	saɪ'kɒləʤɪsts	saɪ'kɑləʤɪsts
psychology	saɪ'kɒləʤɪ	saɪ'kɑləʤɪ
public	'pʌblɪk	
publication	pʌblɪ'keɪʃən	
publications	pʌblɪ'keɪʃənz	
publicity	pʌb'lɪsɪtɪ, pəb'lɪsɪtɪ	
publicly	'pʌblɪklɪ	
publish	'pʌblɪʃ	
publishes	'pʌblɪʃɪz	
published	'pʌblɪʃt	
publishing	'pʌblɪʃɪŋ	
publisher	'pʌblɪʃə(r	'pʌblɪʃə
publishers	'pʌblɪʃəz	'pʌblɪʃəz
pudding	'pudɪŋ	
puddings	'pudɪŋz	
puddle	'pʌdl̩	
puddles	'pʌdl̩z	
puff	pʌf	
puffs	pʌfs	
puffed	pʌft	

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puffing	ˈpʌfɪŋ	
pull	pʊl	
pulls	pʊlz	
pulled	pʊld	
pulling	ˈpʊlɪŋ	
pulp	pʌlp	
pulpit	ˈpʊlpɪt	
pulpits	ˈpʊlpɪts	
pulse	pʌls	
pulses	ˈpʌlsɪz	
pump	pʌmp	
pumps	pʌmps	
pumped	pʌmp̚t	
pumping	ˈpʌmpɪŋ	
pun	pʌn	
puns	pʌnz	
punned	pʌnd	
punning	ˈpʌnɪŋ	
punch	pʌntʃ	
punches	ˈpʌntʃɪz	
punched	pʌntʃt	
punching	ˈpʌntʃɪŋ	
punctual	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊəl	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊəl	
punctuality	pʌŋk̚tjʊˈælɪtɪ	
	pʌŋk̚tʃʊˈælɪtɪ	
punctually	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊəlɪ	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊəlɪ	
punctuate	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊeɪt	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊeɪt	
punctuates	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊeɪts	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊeɪts	
punctuated	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊeɪtɪd	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊeɪtɪd	
punctuating	ˈpʌŋk̚tjʊeɪtɪŋ	
	ˈpʌŋk̚tʃʊeɪtɪŋ	
punctuation	pʌŋk̚tjʊˈeɪʃən	
	pʌŋk̚tʃʊˈeɪʃən	
puncture	ˈpʌŋktʃə(r	ˈpʌŋktʃə
punctures	ˈpʌŋktʃəz	ˈpʌŋktʃəz
punctured	ˈpʌŋktʃəd	ˈpʌŋktʃəd
puncturing	ˈpʌŋktʃərɪŋ	
punish	ˈpʌnɪʃ	
punishes	ˈpʌnɪʃɪz	
punished	ˈpʌnɪʃt	
punishing	ˈpʌnɪʃɪŋ	
punishable	ˈpʌnɪʃəbl̩	

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punishment	ˈpʌnɪʃmənt	
punishments	ˈpʌnɪʃmənts	
pupil	ˈpjuːpɪl	
pupils	ˈpjuːpɪlz	
puppy	ˈpʌpɪ	
puppies	ˈpʌpɪz	
purchase	ˈpɜːtʃɪs	ˈpɜətʃɪs
purchases	ˈpɜːtʃɪsɪz	ˈpɜətʃɪsɪz
purchased	ˈpɜːtʃɪst	ˈpɜətʃɪst
purchasing	ˈpɜːtʃɪsɪŋ	ˈpɜətʃɪsɪŋ
purchaser	ˈpɜːtʃəsə(r	ˈpɜətʃəsə
purchasers	ˈpɜːtʃəsəz	ˈpɜətʃəsəz
pure	pjʊə(r	pjʊə
purer	ˈpjʊərə(r	ˈpjʊːrə
purest	ˈpjʊərɪst	ˈpjʊːrɪst
purely	ˈpjʊəlɪ	ˈpjʊəlɪ
pureness	ˈpjʊənɪs	ˈpjʊənɪs
purify	ˈpjʊərɪfaɪ	ˈpjʊːrɪfaɪ
purifies	ˈpjʊərɪfaɪz	ˈpjʊːrɪfaɪz
purified	ˈpjʊərɪfaɪd	ˈpjʊːrɪfaɪd
purifying	ˈpjʊərɪfaɪɪŋ	ˈpjʊːrɪfaɪɪŋ
purity	ˈpjʊərɪtɪ	ˈpjʊːrɪtɪ
purple	ˈpɜːpl̩	ˈpɜəpl̩
purpose	ˈpɜːpəs	ˈpɜəpəs
purposes	ˈpɜːpəsɪz	ˈpɜəpəsɪz
purposely	ˈpɜːpəslɪ	ˈpɜəpəslɪ
purse	pɜːs	pɜəs
purses	ˈpɜːsɪz	ˈpɜəsɪz
pursue	pəˈsjuː, pɜˈsjuː	pəˈsjuː, pɜəˈsjuː
pursues	pəˈsjuːz, pɜˈsjuːz	pəˈsjuːz, pɜəˈsjuːz
pursued	pəˈsjuːd, pɜˈsjuːd	pəˈsjuːd, pɜəˈsjuːd
pursuing	pəˈsjuːɪŋ, pɜˈsjuːɪŋ	pəˈsjuːɪŋ, pɜəˈsjuːɪŋ
pursuer	pɔˈsjuːə(r, pɜˈsjuːə(r	pəˈsjuːə, pɜəˈsjuːə
pursuers	pəˈsjuːəz, pɜˈsjuːəz	pəˈsjuːəz, pɜəˈsjuːəz
pursuit	pəˈsjuːt, pɜˈsjuːt	pəˈsjuːt, pɜəˈsjuːt
pursuits	pəˈsjuːts, pɜˈsjuːts	pəˈsjuːts, pɜəˈsjuːts
push	pʊʃ	
pushes	ˈpʊʃɪz	
pushed	pʊʃt	
pushing	ˈpʊʃɪŋ	
put	pʊt	
puts	pʊts	
putting	ˈpʊtɪŋ	
putty	ˈpʌtɪ	
putties	ˈpʌtɪz	
puzzle	ˈpʌzl̩	
puzzles	ˈpʌzl̩z	

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puzzled	ˈpʌzl̩d	
puzzling	ˈpʌzlɪŋ	
pyjamas	pəˈʤɑːməz	(*See* pajamas)
	pɪˈʤɑːməz	
	paɪˈʤɑːməz	
pyramid	ˈpɪrəmɪd	
pyramids	ˈpɪrəmɪdz	

Q

Q	kjuː	
Q's	kjuːz	
quaint	kweɪnt	
quainter	ˈkweɪntə(r	ˈkweɪntə
quaintest	ˈkweɪntɪst	
quaintly	ˈkweɪntlɪ	
quaintness	ˈkweɪntnɪs	
qualification	kwɒlɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	kwɑlɪfɪˈkeɪʃən
qualifications	kwɒlɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	kwɒlɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz
qualify	ˈkwɒlɪfaɪ	ˈkwɑlɪfaɪ
qualifies	ˈkwɒlɪfaɪz	ˈkwɑlɪfaɪz
qualified	ˈkwɒlɪfaɪd	ˈkwɑlɪfaɪd
qualifying	ˈkwɒlɪfaɪɪŋ	ˈkwɑlɪfaɪɪŋ
quality	ˈkwɒlɪtɪ	ˈkwɑlɪtɪ
qualities	ˈkwɒlɪtɪz	ˈkwɑlɪtɪz
quantity	ˈkwɒntɪtɪ	ˈkwɑntɪtɪ
quantities	ˈkwɒntɪtɪz	ˈkwɑntɪtɪz
quarantine	ˈkwɒrəntin	
quarrel	ˈkwɒrəl	
quarrels	ˈkwɒrəlz	
quarrelled	ˈkwɒrəld	
quarrelling	ˈkwɒrəlɪŋ	
quarrelsome	ˈkwɒrəlsəm	
quarry	ˈkwɒrɪ	
quarries	ˈkwɒrɪz	
quart, *measure of capacity*	kwɔːt	kwɔət
quarts	kwɔːts	kwɔəts
quarter	ˈkwɔːtə(r	ˈkwɔətə
quarters	ˈkwɔːtəz	ˈkwɔətəz
quay	kiː	
quays	kiːz	
Quebec	kwɪˈbɛk, kwəˈbɛk	
queen	kwiːn	
queens	kwiːnz	

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queer	kwɪə(r	kwɪə
queerer	ˈkwɪərə(r	ˈkwɪˑrə
queerest	ˈkwɪərɪst	ˈkwɪˑrɪst
queerly	ˈkwɪəlɪ	ˈkwɪəlɪ
quench	kwɛntʃ	
quenches	ˈkwɛntʃɪz	
quenched	kwɛntʃt	
quenching	ˈkwɛntʃɪŋ	
query	ˈkwɪərɪ	ˈkwɪˑrɪ
queries	ˈkwɪərɪz	ˈkwɪˑrɪz
queried	ˈkwɪərɪd	ˈkwɪˑrɪd
querying	ˈkwɪərɪŋ	ˈkwɪˑrɪŋ
question	ˈkwɛstʃən	
questions	ˈkwɛstʃənz	
questioned	ˈkwɛstʃənd	
questioning	ˈkwɛstʃənɪŋ	
questionable	ˈkwɛstʃənəbl̩	
questionably	ˈkwɛstʃənəblɪ	
queue	kjuˑ	
queues	kjuˑz	
quibble	ˈkwɪbl̩	
quibbles	ˈkwɪbl̩z	
quibbled	ˈkwɪbl̩d	
quibbling	ˈkwɪblɪŋ, ˈkwɪbl̩ɪŋ	
quick	kwɪk	
quicker	ˈkwɪkə(r	ˈkwɪkə
quickest	ˈkwɪkɪst	
quickly	ˈkwɪklɪ	
quickness	ˈkwɪknɪs	
quick-tempered	ˈkwɪkˈtɛmpəd	ˈkwɪkˈtɛmpəd
quick-witted	ˈkwɪkˈwɪtɪd	
quiet	ˈkwaɪət	
quieter	ˈkwaɪtə(r	ˈkwaɪətə
quietest	ˈkwaɪətɪst	
quietly	ˈkwaɪətlɪ	
quietness	ˈkwaɪətnɪs	
quilt	kwɪlt	
quilts	kwɪlts	
quinine	kwɪˈniˑn, ˈkwɪnin	
quit	kwɪt	
quits	kwɪts	
quitted	ˈkwɪtɪd	
quitting	ˈkwɪtɪŋ	
quite	kwaɪt	
quits	kwɪts	
quotation	kwoʊˈteɪʃən	
quotations	kwoʊˈteɪʃənz	

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quote	kwout	
quotes	kwouts	
quoted	ˈkwoutɪd	
quoting	ˈkwoutɪŋ	

R

R	ɑˈ(r	ɑə
R's	ɑˈz	ɑəz
rabbit	ˈræbɪt	
rabbits	ˈræbɪts	
race	reɪs	
races	ˈreɪsɪz	
raced	reɪst	
racing	ˈreɪsɪŋ	
racial	ˈreɪʃjəl, ˈreɪʃəl	
rack	ræk	
racks	ræks	
radiance	ˈreɪdɪəns, ˈreɪdjəns	
radiant	ˈreɪdɪənt, ˈreɪdjənt	
radiantly	ˈreɪdɪəntlɪ, ˈreɪdjəntlɪ	
radiate	ˈreɪdɪeɪt, ˈreɪdjeɪt	
radiates	ˈreɪdɪeɪts, ˈreɪdjeɪts	
radiated	ˈreɪdɪeɪtɪd ˈreɪdjeɪtɪd	
radiating	ˈreɪdɪeɪtɪŋ ˈreɪdjeɪtɪŋ	
radiation	reɪdɪˈeɪʃən	
radiator	ˈreɪdɪeɪtə(r	ˈreɪdɪeɪtə
radiators	ˈreɪdɪeɪtəz	ˈreɪdɪeɪtəz
radical	ˈrædɪkəl	
radicals	ˈrædɪkəlz	
radically	ˈrædɪkəlɪ	
radium	ˈreɪdɪəm, ˈreɪdjəm	
radius	ˈreɪdɪəs, ˈreɪdjəs	
radii	ˈreɪdɪaɪ	
raft	rɑˈft	raˈft
rafts	rɑˈfts	raˈfts
rag	ræg	
rags	rægz	
rage	reɪʤ	
rages	ˈreɪʤɪz	
raged	ˈreɪʤd	
raging	ˈreɪʤɪŋ	
ragged	ˈrægɪd	

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
raggedness	ˈrægɪdnɪs	
raid	reɪd	
raids	reɪdz	
raided	ˈreɪdɪd	
raiding	ˈreɪdɪŋ	
raider	ˈreɪdə(r	ˈreɪdə
raiders	ˈreɪdəz	ˈreɪdəz
rail	reɪl	
rails	reɪlz	
railing	ˈreɪlɪŋ	
railings	ˈreɪlɪŋz	
railroad	ˈreɪlroʊd	
railroads	ˈreɪlroʊdz	
railway	ˈreɪlweɪ	
railways	ˈreɪlweɪz	
rain	reɪn	
rains	reɪnz	
rained	reɪnd	
raining	ˈreɪnɪŋ	
rainy	ˈreɪnɪ	
rainier	ˈreɪnɪə(r	ˈreɪnɪə
rainiest	ˈreɪnɪɪst	
raise	reɪz	
raises	ˈreɪzɪz	
raised	reɪzd	
raising	ˈreɪzɪŋ	
raisin	ˈreɪzn̩	
raisins	ˈreɪzn̩z	
rake	reɪk	
rakes	reɪks	
raked	reɪkt	
raking	ˈreɪkɪŋ	
rally	ˈræli	
rallies	ˈrælɪz	
rallied	ˈrælɪd	
rallying	ˈrælɪŋ	
Ralph	rælf, rɑˈf, rɑlf, reɪf	rɑˈf, rɑˈlt
ram	ræm	
rams	ræmz	
rammed	ræmd	
ramming	ˈræmɪŋ	
ramble	ˈræmbl̩	
rambles	ˈræmbl̩z	
rambled	ˈræmbl̩d	
rambling	ˈræmblɪŋ	
ramification	ræmɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
ramifications	ræmɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	

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RAN *from* run	ræn	
ranch	ræntʃ, rɑˈntʃ	raˈntʃ
ranches	ˈræntʃɪz, ˈrɑˈntʃɪz	ˈraˈntʃɪz
random	ˈrændəm	
RANG *from* ring	ræŋ	
range	reɪnʤ	
ranges	ˈreɪnʤɪz	
ranged	reɪnʤd	
ranging	ˈreɪnʤɪŋ	
rank	ræŋk	
ranks	ræŋks	
ranked	ræŋkt	
ranking	ˈræŋkɪŋ	
ransack	ˈræn′sæk	
ransacks	ˈræn′sæks	
ransacked	ˈræn′sækt	
ransacking	ˈræn′sækɪŋ	
ransom	ˈrænsəm	
ransoms	ˈrænsəmz	
ransomed	ˈrænsəmd	
ransoming	ˈrænsəmɪŋ	
rap	ræp	
raps	ræps	
rapped	ræpt	
rapping	ˈræpɪŋ	
rapid	ˈræpɪd	
rapidly	ˈræpɪdlɪ	
rapidity	rəˈpɪdɪtɪ, ræˈpɪdɪtɪ	
rare	rɛə(r	rɛə
rarer	ˈrɛərə(r	ˈrɛˈrə
rarest	ˈrɛərɪst	ˈrɛˈrɪst
rarely	ˈrɛəlɪ	ˈrɛəlɪ
rareness	ˈrɛənɪs	ˈrɛənɪs
rascal	ˈrɑˈskəl	ˈraˈskəl
rascals	ˈrɑˈskəlz	ˈraˈskəlz
rash	ræʃ	
rashly	ˈræʃlɪ	
rat	ræt	
rats	ræts	
rate	reɪt	
rates	reɪts	
rather	ˈrɑˈðə(r	ˈraˈðə
ratification	rætɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
ratifications	rætɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
ratify	ˈrætɪfaɪ	
ratifies	ˈrætɪfaɪz	
ratified	ˈrætɪfaɪd	

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ratifying	ˈrætɪfaɪɪŋ	
ratio	ˈreɪʃɪoʊ, ˈreɪʃjoʊ	
ratios	ˈreɪʃɪoʊz, ˈreɪʃjoʊz	
ration	ˈræʃən	
rations	ˈræʃənz	
rationed	ˈræʃənd	
rationing	ˈræʃənɪŋ	
rational	ˈræʃən̩	
rationally	ˈræʃənəlɪ	
rattle	ˈræt̩	
rattles	ˈræt̩z	
rattled	ˈræt̩d	
rattling	ˈrætlɪŋ	
rattlesnake	ˈræt̩sneɪk	
rattlesnakes	ˈræt̩sneɪks	
ravage	ˈrævɪʤ	
ravages	ˈrævɪʤɪz	
ravaged	ˈrævɪʤd	
ravaging	ˈrævɪʤɪŋ	
rave	reɪv	
raves	reɪvz	
raved	reɪvd	
raving	ˈreɪvɪŋ	
raven	ˈreɪvn̩	
ravens	ˈreɪvn̩z	
raw	rɔˑ	
rawer	ˈrɔˑə(r	ˈrɔˑə
rawest	ˈrɔˑɪst	
rawly	ˈrɔˑlɪ	
rawness	ˈrɔˑnɪs	
ray	reɪ	
rays	reɪz	
razor	ˈreɪzə(r	ˈreɪzə
razors	ˈreɪzəz	ˈreɪzəz
re-, *affix*	riˑ-, rɪ- (*rarely* rə-)	
reach	riˑʧ	
reaches	ˈriˑʧɪz	
reached	riˑʧt	
reaching	ˈriˑʧɪŋ	
react	riˈækt, rɪˈækt	
reacts	riˈækts, rɪˈækts	
reacted	riˈæktɪd, rɪˈæktɪd	
reacting	riˈæktɪŋ, rɪˈæktɪŋ	
reaction	riˈækʃən, rɪˈækʃən	
reactions	riˈækʃənz, rɪˈækʃənz	
reactionary	riˈækʃənərɪ rɪˈækʃənərɪ	riˈækʃənɛrɪ

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reactionaries	ri′ækʃənərɪz rɪ′ækʃənərɪz	ri′ækʃənɛrɪz
read	ri·d	
reads	ri·dz	
read	rɛd	
reading	′ri·dɪŋ	
readable	′ri·dəb]	
reader	′ri·də(r	′ri·də
readers	′ri·dəz	′ri·dəz
ready	′rɛdɪ	
readier	′rɛdɪə(r	′rɛdɪə
readiest	′rɛdɪɪst	
readily	′rɛdɪlɪ	
readiness	′rɛdɪnɪs	
real	′ri·əl, rɪəl	
realism	′ri·əlɪzm̩, ′rɪəlɪzm̩	
realist	′ri·əlɪst, ′rɪəlɪst	
realists	′ri·əlɪsts, ′rɪəlɪsts	
realistic	riə′lɪstɪk, rɪə′lɪstɪk	
realistically	riə′lɪstɪkəlɪ rɪə′lɪstɪkəlɪ	
reality	ri′ælɪtɪ, rɪ′ælɪtɪ	
realities	ri′ælɪtɪz, rɪ′ælɪtɪz	
realization	riəlaɪ′zeɪʃən riəlɪ′zeɪʃən	
realize	′ri·əlaɪz	
realizes	′ri·əlaɪzɪz	
realized	′ri·əlaɪzd	
realizing	′ri·əlaɪzɪŋ	
really	′rɪəlɪ	
reap	ri·p	
reaps	ri·ps	
reaped	ri·pt	
reaping	′ri·pɪŋ	
reappear	′ri·ə′pɪə(r, rɪə′pɪə(r	′ri·ə′pɪə, ′rɪə′pɪə
reappears	′ri·ə′pɪəz, rɪə′pɪəz	′ri·ə′pɪəz, ′rɪə′pɪəz
reappeared	′ri·ə′pɪəd, rɪə′pɪəd	′ri·ə′pɪəd, ′rɪə′pɪəd
reappearing	′ri·ə′pɪərɪŋ ′rɪə′pɪərɪŋ	′ri·ə′pɪ·rɪŋ ′riə′pɪ·rɪŋ
reappoint	′ri·ə′pɔɪnt, rɪə′pɔɪnt	
reappoints	′ri·ə′pɔɪnts rɪə′pɔɪnts	
reappointed	′ri·ə′pɔɪntɪd rɪə′pɔɪntɪd	
reappointing	′ri·ə′pɔɪntɪŋ rɪə′pɔɪntɪŋ	
rear	′rɪə(r	′rɪə

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rearrange	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤ, rɪəˈreɪnʤ	
rearranges	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤɪz rɪəˈreɪnʤɪz	
rearranged	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤd rɪəˈreɪnʤd	
rearranging	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤɪŋ rɪəˈreɪnʤɪŋ	
rearrangement	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤmənt rɪəˈreɪnʤmənt	
rearrangements	ˈriːəˈreɪnʤmənt rɪəˈreɪnʤmənts	
reason	ˈriːzn̩	
reasons	ˈriːzn̩z	
reasoned	ˈriːzn̩d	
reasoning	ˈriːzənɪŋ	
reasonings	ˈriːzənɪŋz	
reasonable	ˈriːzn̩əbl̩	
reasonableness	ˈriːznəbl̩nɪs	
reasonably	ˈriːznəblɪ	
reassemble	ˈriːəˈsɛmbl̩, rɪəˈsɛmbl̩	
reassembles	ˈriːəˈsɛmbl̩z rɪəˈsɛmbl̩z	
reassembled	ˈriːəˈsɛmbl̩d rɪəˈsɛmbl̩d	
reassembling	ˈriːəˈsɛmblɪŋ rɪəˈsɛmblɪŋ	
reassert	ˈriːəˈsɜːt, rɪəˈsɜːt	ˈriːəˈsɜət
reasserts	ˈriːəˈsɜːts, rɪəˈsɜːts	ˈriːəˈsɜəts
reasserted	ˈriːəˈsɜːtɪd rɪəˈsɜːtɪd	ˈriːəˈsɜətɪd
reasserting	ˈriːəˈsɜːtɪŋ rɪəˈsɜːtɪŋ	ˈriːəˈsɜətɪŋ
reassure	rɪəˈʃʊə(r, rɪəˈʃɔə(r	rɪəˈʃʊə
reassures	rɪəˈʃʊəz, rɪəˈʃɔəz	rɪəˈʃʊəd
reassured	rɪəˈʃʊəd, rɪəˈʃɔəd	rɪəˈʃʊəd
reassuring	rɪəˈʃʊərɪŋ, rɪəˈʃɔərɪŋ	rɪəˈʃuːrɪn̩
rebel, *noun*	ˈrɛbl̩	
rebels	ˈrɛbl̩z	
rebel	rɪˈbɛl	
rebels	rɪˈbɛlz	
rebelled	rɪˈbɛld	
rebelling	rɪˈbɛlɪŋ	
rebellion	rɪˈbɛljən	
rebellions	rɪˈbɛljənz	
rebellious	rɪˈbɛljəs	
rebelliously	rɪˈbɛljəslɪ	
rebuild	ˈriːˈbɪld	

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rebuilds	ˈriːˈbɪldz	
rebuilt	ˈriːˈbɪlt	
rebuilding	ˈriːˈbɪldɪŋ	
rebuke	rɪˈbjuːk	
rebukes	rɪˈbjuːks	
rebuked	rɪˈbjuːkt	
rebuking	rɪˈbjuːkɪŋ	
recall	rɪˈkɔːl	
recalls	rɪˈkɔːlz	
recalled	rɪˈkɔːld	
recalling	rɪˈkɔːlɪŋ	
recapitulate	rikəˈpɪtjʊleɪt	
recapitulates	rikəˈpɪtjʊleɪts	
recapitulated	rikəˈpɪtjʊleɪtɪd	
recapitulating	rikəˈpɪtjʊleɪtɪŋ	
recapitulation	ˈriːkəpɪtjʊˈleɪʃən	
recapitulations	ˈriːkəpɪtjʊˈleɪʃənz	
recapture	ˈriːˈkæptʃə(r	ˈriːˈkæptʃə
recaptures	ˈriːˈkæptʃəz	ˈriːˈkæptʃəz
recaptured	ˈriːˈkæptʃəd	ˈriːˈkæptʃəd
recapturing	ˈriːˈkæptʃərɪŋ	
recast	ˈriːˈkɑːst	ˈriːˈkaːst
recasts	ˈriːˈkɑːsts	ˈriːˈkaːsts
recasting	ˈriːˈkɑːstɪŋ	ˈriːˈkaːstɪŋ
recede	rɪˈsiːd, riˈsiːd	
recedes	rɪˈsiːdz, riˈsiːdz	
receded	rɪˈsiːdɪd, riˈsidɪd	
receding	rɪˈsiːdɪŋ, riˈsiːdɪŋ	
receipt	rɪˈsiːt	
receipts	rɪˈsiːts	
receipted	rɪˈsiːtɪd	
receipting	rɪˈsiːtɪŋ	
receive	rɪˈsiːv	
receives	rɪˈsiːvz	
received	rɪˈsiːvd	
receiving	rɪˈsiːvɪŋ	
receiver	rɪˈsiːvə(r	rɪˈsiːvə
receivers	rɪˈsiːvəz	rɪˈsiːvəz
recent	ˈriːsn̩t	
recently	ˈriːsn̩tlɪ	
receptacle	rɪˈsɛptəkl̩	
receptacles	rɪˈsɛptəkl̩z	
reception	rɪˈsɛpʃən	
receptions	rɪˈsɛpʃənz	
receptive	rɪˈsɛptɪv	
recess	rɪˈsɛs	
recesses	rɪˈsɛsɪz	

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recipe	ˈrɛsɪpɪ	ˈrɛsɪpi
recipes	ˈrɛsɪpɪz	ˈrɛsɪpiz
recitation	rɛsɪˈteɪʃən	
recitations	rɛsɪˈteɪʃənz	
recite	rɪˈsaɪt	
recites	rɪˈsaɪts	
recited	rɪˈsaɪtɪd	
reciting	rɪˈsaɪtɪŋ	
reckless	ˈrɛklɪs	
recklessly	ˈrɛklɪslɪ	
reckon	ˈrɛkən	
reckons	ˈrɛkənz	
reckoned	ˈrɛkənd	
reckoning	ˈrɛkənɪŋ	
recognition	rɛkəgˈnɪʃən	
recognizable	ˈrɛkəgnaɪzəb̩l	
	rɛkəgˈnaɪzəb̩l	
recognize	ˈrɛkəgnaɪz	
recognizes	ˈrɛkəgnaɪzɪz	
recognized	ˈrɛkəgnaɪzd	
recognizing	ˈrɛkəgnaɪzɪŋ	
recollect	rɛkəˈlɛkt	
recollects	rɛkəˈlɛkts	
recollected	rɛkəˈlɛktɪd	
recollecting	rɛkəˈlɛktɪŋ	
recollection	rɛkəˈlɛkʃən	
recollections	rɛkəˈlɛkʃənz	
recommend	rɛkəˈmɛnd	
recommends	rɛkəˈmɛndz	
recommended	rɛkəˈmɛndɪd	
recommending	rɛkəˈmɛndɪŋ	
recommendation	rɛkəmɛnˈdeɪʃən	
recommendations	rɛkəmɛnˈdeɪʃənz	
reconcile	ˈrɛkənsaɪl	
reconciles	ˈrɛkənsaɪlz	
reconciled	ˈrɛkənsaɪld	
reconciling	ˈrɛkənsaɪlɪŋ	
reconciliation	rɛkənsɪlɪˈeɪʃən	
reconciliations	rɛkənsɪlɪˈeɪʃənz	
reconsider	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdə(r	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdə
reconsiders	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdəz	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdəz
reconsidered	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdəd	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdəd
reconsidering	ˈriˑkənˈsɪdərɪŋ	
record, *noun*	ˈrɛkɔd	ˈrɛkəd
records	ˈrɛkɔdz	ˈrɛkədz
record, *verb*	rɪˈkɔˑd	rɪˈkɔəd
records	rɪˈkɔˑdz	rɪˈkɔədz

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recorded	rɪˈkɔːdɪd	rɪˈkɔədɪd
recording	rɪˈkɔːdɪŋ	rɪˈkɔədɪŋ
recover, *come back to health*	rɪˈkʌvə(r	rɪˈkʌvə
recovers	rɪˈkʌvəz	rɪˈkʌvəz
recovered	rɪˈkʌvəd	rɪˈkʌvəd
recovering	rɪˈkʌvərɪŋ	
recover, *cover again*	ˈriːˈkʌvə(r	ˈriːˈkʌvə
recovers	ˈriːˈkʌvəz	ˈriːˈkʌvəz
recovered	ˈriːˈkʌvəd	ˈriːˈkʌvəd
recovering	ˈriːˈkʌvərɪŋ	
recovery	rɪˈkʌvərɪ	
recreation, *refreshment*	rɛkrɪˈeɪʃən	
recreations	rɛkrɪˈeɪʃənz	
recreation, *creating anew*	riːkrɪˈeɪʃən	
recreations	ˈriːkrɪˈeɪʃənz	
recruit	rɪˈkruːt	
recruits	rɪˈkruːts	
recruited	rɪˈkruːtɪd	
recruiting	rɪˈkruːtɪŋ	
rectangle	ˈrɛktæŋɡ‖	
rectangles	ˈrɛktæŋɡ‖z	
recur	rɪˈkəː(r	rɪˈkəə
recurs	rɪˈkəːz	rɪˈkəəz
recurred	rɪˈkəːd	rɪˈkəəd
recurring	rɪˈkəːrɪŋ, rɪˈkʌrɪŋ	
red	rɛd	
redder	ˈrɛdə(r	ˈrɛdə
reddest	ˈrɛdɪst	
redness	ˈrɛdnɪs	
redeem	rɪˈdiːm	
redeems	rɪˈdiːmz	
redeemed	rɪˈdiːmd	
redeeming	rɪˈdiːmɪŋ	
red-hot	ˈrɛdˈhɒt	ˈrɛdˈhɑt
redirect	ˈriːdɪˈrɛkt, ˈriːdaɪˈrɛkt	
redirects	ˈriːdɪˈrɛkts ˈriːdaɪˈrɛkts	
redirected	ˈriːdɪˈrɛktɪd ˈriːdaɪˈrɛktɪd	
redirecting	ˈriːdɪˈrɛktɪŋ ˈriːdaɪˈrɛktɪŋ	
reduce	rɪˈdjuːs	
reduces	rɪˈdjuːsɪz	
reduced	rɪˈdjuːst	

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reducing	rɪ′dju·sɪŋ	
reduction	rɪ′dʌkʃən	
reductions	rɪ′dʌkʃənz	
reed	ri·d	
reeds	ri·dz	
reef	ri·f	
reefs	ri·fs	
refer	rɪ′fə·(r	rɪ′fəə
refers	rɪ′fə·z	rɪ′fəəz
referred	rɪ′fə·d	rɪ′fəəd
referring	rɪ′fə·rɪŋ	
referee	rɛfə′ri·	
referees	rɛfə′ri·z	
reference	′rɛfərəns	
references	′rɛfərənsɪz	
refine	rɪ′faɪn	
refines	rɪ′faɪnz	
refined	rɪ′faɪnd	
refining	rɪ′faɪnɪŋ	
refinement	rɪ′faɪnmənt	
refinements	rɪ′faɪnmənts	
reflect	rɪ′flɛkt	
reflects	rɪ′flɛkts	
reflected	rɪ′flɛktɪd	
reflecting	rɪ′flɛktɪŋ	
reflector	rɪ′flɛktə(r	rɪ′flɛktə
reflectors	rɪ′flɛktəz	rɪ′flɛktəz
reflection	rɪ′flɛkʃən	
reflections	rɪ′flɛkʃənz	
reform	rɪ′fɔ·m	rɪ′fɔəm
reforms	rɪ′fɔ·mz	rɪ′fɔəmz
reformed	rɪ′fɔ·md	rɪ′fɔəmd
reforming	rɪ′fɔ·mɪŋ	rɪ′fɔəmɪŋ
reformer	rɪ′fɔ·mə(r	rɪ′fɔəmɔə
reformers	rɪ′fɔ·məz	rɪ′fɔəməz
reformation	†rɛfə′meɪʃən	†rɛfə′meɪʃən
reformations	†rɛfə′meɪʃənz	†rɛfə′meɪʃənz
refrain	rɪ′freɪn	
refrains	rɪ′freɪnz	
refrained	rɪ′freɪnd	
refraining	rɪ′freɪnɪŋ	
refresh	rɪ′frɛʃ	
refreshes	rɪ′frɛʃɪz	
refreshed	rɪ′frɛʃt	
refreshing	rɪ′frɛʃɪŋ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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refuge	ˈrɛfjuʤ	
refuges	ˈrɛfjuʤɪz	
refugee	rɛfjuˈʤiˑ	
refugees	rɛfjuˈʤiˑz	
refund	riˈfʌnd, rɪˈfʌnd	
refunds	riˈfʌndz, rɪˈfʌndz	
refunded	riˈfʌndɪd, rɪˈfʌndɪd	
refunding	riˈfʌndɪŋ, rɪˈfʌndɪŋ	
refusal	rɪˈfjuˑzəl	
refusals	rɪˈfjuˑzəlz	
refuse, *noun*	ˈrɛfjus	
refuse, *verb*	rɪˈfjuˑz	
refuses	rɪˈfjuˑzɪz	
refused	rɪˈfjuˑzd	
refusing	rɪˈfjuˑzɪŋ	
refutation	rɛfjuˈteɪʃən	
	rɛfjuˈteɪʃən	
refutations	rɛfjuˈteɪʃənz	
	rɛfjuˈteɪʃənz	
refute	rɪˈfjuˑt	
refutes	rɪˈfjuˑts	
refuted	rɪˈfjuˑtɪd	
refuting	rɪˈfjuˑtɪŋ	
regain	rɪˈgeɪn, riˈgeɪn	
regains	rɪˈgeɪnz, riˈgeɪnz	
regained	rɪˈgeɪnd, riˈgeɪnd	
regaining	rɪˈgeɪnɪŋ, riˈgeɪnɪŋ	
regard	rɪˈgɑˑd	rɪˈgɑəd
regards	rɪˈgɑˑdz	rɪˈgɑədz
regarded	rɪˈgɑˑdɪd	rɪˈgɑədɪd
regarding	rɪˈgɑˑdɪŋ	rɪˈgɑədɪŋ
regardless	rɪˈgɑˑdlɪs	rɪˈgɑədlɪs
regent	ˈriˑʤənt	
regents	ˈriˑʤənts	
regiment	ˈrɛʤɪmənt	
regiments	ˈrɛʤɪmənts	
region	ˈriˑʤən	
regions	ˈriˑʤənz	
register	ˈrɛʤɪstə(r	ˈrɛʤɪstə
registers	ˈrɛʤɪstəz	ˈrɛʤɪstəz
registered	ˈrɛʤɪstəd	ˈrɛʤɪstəd
registering	ˈrɛʤɪstərɪŋ	
regret	rɪˈgrɛt	
regrets	rɪˈgrɛts	
regretted	rɪˈgrɛtɪd	
regretting	rɪˈgrɛtɪŋ	
regrettable	rɪˈgrɛtəbl̩	

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regretful	rɪ'grɛtful	
regular	'rɛgjulə(r, 'rɛgjələ(r	'rɛgjulə, 'rɛgjələ
regularly	'rɛgjuləlɪ, 'rɛgjələlɪ	'rɛgjuləlɪ, 'rɛgjələlɪ
regularity	rɛgju'lærɪtɪ	
regulate	'rɛgjuleɪt, 'rɛgjəleɪt	
regulates	'rɛgjuleɪts	
	'rɛgjəleɪts	
regulated	'rɛgjuleɪtɪd	
	'rɛgjəleɪtɪd	
regulating	'rɛgjuleɪtɪŋ	
	'rɛgjəleɪtɪŋ	
regulation	rɛgju'leɪʃən	
regulations	rɛgju'leɪʃənz	
rehearsal	rɪ'hɜ·səl	rɪ'hɜəsəl
rehearsals	rɪ'hɜ·səlz	rɪ'hɜəsəlz
rehearse	rɪ'hɜ·s	rɪ'hɜəs
rehearses	rɪ'hɜ·sɪz	rɪ'hɜəsɪz
rehearsed	rɪ'hɜ·st	rɪ'hɜəst
rehearsing	rɪ'hɜ·sɪŋ	rɪ'hɜəsɪŋ
reign	reɪn	
reigns	reɪnz	
reigned	reɪnd	
reigning	'reɪnɪŋ	
rein	reɪn	
reins	reɪnz	
reindeer	'reɪndɪə(r	'reɪndɪə
reinforce	rɪɪn'fɔ·s	rɪɪn'foəs
reinforces	rɪɪn'fɔ·sɪz	rɪɪn'foəsɪz
reinforced	rɪɪn'fɔ·st	rɪɪn'foəst
reinforcing	rɪɪn'fɔ·sɪŋ	rɪɪn'foəsɪŋ
reject	rɪ'ʤɛkt	
rejects	rɪ'ʤɛkts	
rejected	rɪ'ʤɛktɪd	
rejecting	rɪ'ʤɛktɪŋ	
rejection	rɪ'ʤɛkʃən	
rejections	rɪ'ʤɛkʃənz	
relate	rɪ'leɪt	
relates	rɪ'leɪts	
related	rɪ'leɪtɪd	
relating	rɪ'leɪtɪŋ	
relation	rɪ'leɪʃən	
relations	rɪ'leɪʃənz	
relationship	rɪ'leɪʃn̩ʃɪp	
relative	'rɛlətɪv	
relatives	'rɛlətɪvz	
relatively	'rɛlətɪvlɪ	

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relax	rɪ′læks	
relaxes	rɪ′læksɪz	
relaxed	rɪ′lækst	
relaxing	rɪ′læksɪŋ	
relaxation	rilæk′seɪʃən	
release	rɪ′liːs	
releases	rɪ′liːsɪz	
released	rɪ′liːst	
releasing	rɪ′liːsɪŋ	
relent	rɪ′lɛnt	
relents	rɪ′lɛnts	
relented	rɪ′lɛntɪd	
relenting	rɪ′lɛntɪŋ	
relentless	rɪ′lɛntlɪs	
reliable	rɪ′laɪəbl̩	
reliance	rɪ′laɪəns	
reliant	rɪ′laɪənt	
relic	′rɛlɪk	
relics	′rɛlɪks	
relief	rɪ′liːf	
reliefs	rɪ′liːfs	
relieve	rɪ′liːv	
relieves	rɪ′liːvz	
relieved	rɪ′liːvd	
relieving	rɪ′liːvɪŋ	
religion	rɪ′lɪʤən	
religious	rɪ′lɪʤəs	
religiously	rɪ′lɪʤəslɪ	
relish	′rɛlɪʃ	
relishes	′rɛlɪʃɪz	
relished	′rɛlɪʃt	
relishing	′rɛlɪʃɪŋ	
reluctance	rɪ′lʌktəns	
reluctant	rɪ′lʌktənt	
reluctantly	rɪ′lʌktəntlɪ	
rely	rɪ′laɪ	
relies	rɪ′laɪz	
relied	rɪ′laɪd	
relying	rɪ′laɪɪŋ	
remain	rɪ′meɪn	
remains	rɪ′meɪnz	
remained	rɪ′meɪnd	
remaining	rɪ′meɪnɪŋ	
remainder	rɪ′meɪndə(r	rɪ′meɪndə
remainders	rɪ′meɪndəz	rɪ′meɪndəz
remark	rɪ′mɑːk	rɪ′mɑək
remarks	rɪ′mɑːks	rɪ′mɑəks

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remarked	rɪ′mɑˑkt	rɪ′mɑəkt
remarking	rɪ′mɑˑkɪŋ	rɪ′mɑəkɪŋ
remarkable	rɪ′mɑˑkəbḷ	rɪ′mɑəkəbḷ
remarkably	rɪ′mɑˑkəblɪ	rɪ′mɑəkəblɪ
remedy	′rɛmɪdɪ	
remedies	′rɛmɪdɪz	
remedied	′rɛmɪdɪd	
remedying	′rɛmɪdɪŋ	
remember	rɪ′mɛmbə(r	rɪ′mɛmbə
remembers	rɪ′mɛmbəz	rɪ′mɛmbəz
remembered	rɪ′mɛmbəd	rɪ′mɛmbəd
remembering	rɪ′mɛmbərɪŋ	
remembrance	rɪ′mɛmbrəns	
remembrances	rɪ′mɛmbrənsɪz	
remind	rɪ′maɪnd	
reminds	rɪ′maɪndz	
reminded	rɪ′maɪndɪd	
reminding	rɪ′maɪndɪŋ	
reminder	rɪ′maɪndə(r	rɪ′maɪndə
reminders	rɪ′maɪndəz	rɪ′maɪndəz
reminiscence	rɛmɪ′nɪsn̩s	
reminiscences	rɛmɪ′nɪsn̩sɪz	
remiss	rɪ′mɪs	
remit	rɪ′mɪt	
remits	rɪ′mɪts	
remitted	rɪ′mɪtɪd	
remitting	rɪ′mɪtɪŋ	
remittance	rɪ′mɪtəns	
remittances	rɪ′mɪtənsɪz	
remnant	′rɛmnənt	
remnants	′rɛmnənts	
remonstrance	rɪ′mɒnstrəns	rɪ′mɑnstrəns
remonstrances	rɪ′mɒnstrənsɪz	rɪ′mɑnstrənsɪz
remonstrate	rɪ′mɒnstreɪt	rɪ′mɑnstreɪt
	′rɛmənstreɪt	
remonstrates	rɪ′mɒnstreɪts	rɪ′mɑnstreɪts
	′rɛmənstreɪts	
remonstrated	rɪ′mɒnstreɪtɪd	
	′rɛmənstreɪtɪd	rɪ′mɑnstreɪtɪd
remonstrating	rɪ′mɒnstreɪtɪŋ	
	′rɛmənstreɪtɪŋ	rɪ′mɑnstreɪtɪŋ
remorse	rɪ′mɔˑs	rɪ′mɔəs
remote	rɪ′moʊt	
remotely	rɪ′moʊtlɪ	
removal	rɪ′muˑvḷ	
removals	rɪ′muˑvḷz	
remove	rɪ′muˑv	

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removes	rɪ′mu·vz	
removed	rɪ′mu·vd	
removing	rɪ′mu·vɪŋ	
remunerate	rɪ′mju·nəreɪt	
remunerates	rɪ′mju·nəreɪts	
remunerated	rɪ′mju·nəreɪtɪd	
remunerating	rɪ′mju·nəreɪtɪŋ	
remuneration	rɪmjunə′reɪʃən	
remunerative	rɪ′mju·nərətɪv	rɪ′mju·nəreɪtɪv
render	′rɛndə(r	′rɛndə
renders	′rɛndəz	′rɛndəz
rendered	′rɛndəd	′rɛndəd
rendering	′rɛndərɪŋ	
renew	rɪ′nju·	
renews	rɪ′nju·z	
renewed	rɪ′nju·d	
renewing	rɪ′nju·ɪŋ	
renewal	rɪ′njuəl	
renewals	rɪ′njuəlz	
renounce	rɪ′naʊns	
renounces	rɪ′naʊnsɪz	
renounced	rɪ′naʊnst	
renouncing	rɪ′naʊnsɪŋ	
renown	rɪ′naʊn	
renowned	rɪ′naʊnd	
rent	rɛnt	
rents	rɛnts	
rented	′rɛntɪd	
renting	′rɛntɪŋ	
reorganize	′ri·′ɔ·gənaɪz	
	rɪ′ɔ·gənaɪz	rɪ′ɔəgənaɪz
reorganizes	′ri·′ɔ·gənaɪzɪz	
	rɪ′ɔ·gənaɪzɪz	rɪ′ɔəgənaɪzɪz
reorganized	′ri·′ɔ·gənaɪzd	
	rɪ′ɔ·gənaɪzd	rɪ′ɔəgənaɪzd
reorganizing	′ri·′ɔ·gənaɪzɪŋ	
	rɪ′ɔ·gənaɪzɪŋ	rɪ′ɔəgənaɪzɪŋ
REPAID *from* repay	′ri·′peɪd, rɪ′peɪd	
repair	rɪ′pɛə(r	rɪ′pɛə
repairs	rɪ′pɛəz	rɪ′pɛəz
repaired	rɪ′pɛəd	rɪ′pɛəd
repairing	rɪ′pɛərɪŋ	rɪ′pɛ·rɪŋ
reparation	rɛpə′reɪʃən	
reparations	rɛpə′reɪʃənz	
repay	′ri·′peɪ, rɪ′peɪ	
repays	′ri·′peɪz, rɪ′peɪz	
repaid	′ri·′peɪd, rɪ′peɪd	

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repaying	ˈriːˈpeɪɪŋ, rɪˈpeɪɪŋ	
repayment	ˈriːˈpeɪmənt rɪˈpeɪmənt	
repayments	ˈriːˈpeɪmənts rɪˈpeɪmənts	
repeal	rɪˈpiːl	
repeals	rɪˈpiːlz	
repealed	rɪˈpiːld	
repealing	rɪˈpiːlɪŋ	
repeat	rɪˈpiːt	
repeats	rɪˈpiːts	
repeated	rɪˈpiːtɪd	
repeating	rɪˈpiːtɪŋ	
repeatedly	rɪˈpiːtɪdlɪ	
repeater	rɪˈpiːtə(r	rɪˈpiːtə
repeaters	rɪˈpiːtəz	rɪˈpiːtəz
repel	rɪˈpɛl	
repels	rɪˈpɛlz	
repelled	rɪˈpɛld	
repelling	rɪˈpɛlɪŋ	
repent	rɪˈpɛnt	
repents	rɪˈpɛnts	
repented	rɪˈpɛntɪd	
repenting	rɪˈpɛntɪŋ	
repentance	rɪˈpɛntəns	
repentant	rɪˈpɛntənt	
repetition	rɛpɪˈtɪʃən	
repetitions	rɛpɪˈtɪʃənz	
replace	riːˈpleɪs, rɪˈpleɪs	
replaces	riːˈpleɪsɪz, rɪˈpleɪsɪz	
replaced	riːˈpleɪst, rɪˈpleɪst	
replacing	riːˈpleɪsɪŋ, rɪˈpleɪsɪŋ	
reply	rɪˈplaɪ	
replies	rɪˈplaɪz	
replied	rɪˈplaɪd	
replying	rɪˈplaɪɪŋ	
report	rɪˈpɔːt	rɪˈpoət
reports	rɪˈpɔːts	rɪˈpoəts
reported	rɪˈpɔːtɪd	rɪˈpoətɪd
reporting	rɪˈpɔːtɪŋ	rɪˈpoətɪŋ
reporter	rɪˈpɔːtə(r	rɪˈpoətə
reporters	rɪˈpɔːtəz	rɪˈpoətəz
represent	rɛprɪˈzɛnt	
represents	rɛprɪˈzɛnts	
represented	rɛprɪˈzɛntɪd	
representing	rɛprɪˈzɛntɪŋ	
representative	rɛprɪˈzɛntətɪv	

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representatives	rɛprɪˈzɛntətɪvz	
repress	rɪˈprɛs	
represses	rɪˈprɛsɪz	
repressed	rɪˈprɛst	
repressing	rɪˈprɛsɪŋ	
repression	rɪˈprɛʃən	
reprieve	rɪˈpriːv	
reprieves	rɪˈpriːvz	
reprieved	rɪˈpriːvd	
reprieving	rɪˈpriːvɪŋ	
reprimand, *noun*	ˈrɛprɪmɑnd	ˈrɛprɪmand
reprimands	ˈrɛprɪmɑndz	ˈrɛprɪmandz
reprimand	ˈrɛprɪmɑnd	ˈrɛprɪmand
	rɛprɪˈmɑːnd	rɛprɪˈmaːnd
reprimands	ˈrɛprɪmɑndz	ˈrɛprɪmandz
	rɛprɪˈmɑːndz	rɛprɪˈmaːndz
reprimanded	ˈrɛprɪmɑndɪd	ˈrɛprɪmandɪd
	rɛprɪˈmɑːndɪd	rɛprɪˈmaːndɪd
reprimanding	ˈrɛprɪmɑndɪŋ	ˈrɛprɪmandɪŋ
	rɛprɪˈmɑːndɪŋ	rɛprɪˈmaːndɪŋ
reproach	rɪˈproʊtʃ	
reproaches	rɪˈproʊtʃɪz	
reproached	rɪˈproʊtʃt	
reproaching	rɪˈproʊtʃɪŋ	
reproachful	rɪˈproʊtʃful	
reproduce	ˈriːprəˈdjuːs	
reproduces	ˈriːprəˈdjuːsɪz	
reproduced	ˈriːprəˈdjuːst	
reproducing	ˈriːprəˈdjuːsɪŋ	
reproduction	ˈriːprəˈdʌkʃən	
reproof	rɪˈpruːf	
reproofs	rɪˈpruːfs	
reprove	rɪˈpruːv	
reproves	rɪˈpruːvz	
reproved	rɪˈpruːvd	
reproving	rɪˈpruːvɪŋ	
reptile	ˈrɛptaɪl	ˈrɛptɪl
reptiles	ˈrɛptaɪlz	ˈrɛptɪlz
republic	rɪˈpʌblɪk	
republics	rɪˈpʌblɪks	
republican	rɪˈpʌblɪkən	
republicans	rɪˈpʌblɪkənz	
repudiate	rɪˈpjuːdɪeɪt	
repudiates	rɪˈpjuːdɪeɪts	
repudiated	rɪˈpjuːdɪeɪtɪd	
repudiating	rɪˈpjuːdɪeɪtɪŋ	
repudiation	rɪpjudɪˈeɪʃən	

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repugnance	rɪ′pʌgnəns	
repugnant	rɪ′pʌgnənt	
repugnantly	rɪ′pʌgnəntlɪ	
repulse	rɪ′pʌls	
repulses	rɪ′pʌlsɪz	
repulsed	rɪ′pʌlst	
repulsing	rɪ′pʌlsɪŋ	
repulsion	rɪ′pʌlʃən	
repulsive	rɪ′pʌlsɪv	
repulsively	rɪ′pʌlsɪvlɪ	
repulsiveness	rɪ′pʌlsɪvnɪs	
reputable	′rɛpjʊtəbḷ	
reputation	rɛpjʊ′teɪʃən	
reputations	rɛpjʊ′teɪʃənz	
repute	rɪ′pjuˑt	
reputed	rɪ′pjuˑtɪd	
request	rɪ′kwɛst	
requests	rɪ′kwɛsts	
requested	rɪ′kwɛstɪd	
requesting	rɪ′kwɛstɪŋ	
require	rɪ′kwaɪə(r	rɪ′kwaɪə
requires	rɪ′kwaɪəz	rɪ′kwaɪəz
required	rɪ′kwaɪəd	rɪ′kwaɪəd
requiring	rɪ′kwaɪərɪŋ	
requirement	rɪ′kwaɪəmənt	rɪ′kwaɪəmənt
requirements	rɪ′kwaɪəmənts	rɪ′kwaɪəmənts
requisite	′rɛkwɪzɪt	
rescue	′rɛskju, ′rɛskjʊ	
rescues	′rɛskjuz, ′rɛskjʊz	
rescued	′rɛskjud, ′rɛskjʊd	
rescuing	′rɛskjʊɪŋ	
research	rɪ′sɜˑtʃ	rɪ′sɜətʃ
researches	rɪ′sɜˑtʃɪz	rɪ′sɜətʃɪz
resemblance	rɪ′zɛmbləns	
resemblances	rɪ′zɛmbləns ɪz	
resemble	rɪ′zɛmbḷ	
resembles	rɪ′zɛmbḷz	
resembled	rɪ′zɛmbḷd	
resembling	rɪ′zɛmblɪŋ	
resent	rɪ′zɛnt	
resents	rɪ′zɛnts	
resented	rɪ′zɛntɪd	
resenting	rɪ′zɛntɪŋ	
resentful	rɪ′zɛntfʊl	
resentfully	rɪ′zɛntfʊlɪ, rɪ′zɛntfəlɪ	
resentment	rɪ′zɛntmənt	
reserve	rɪ′zɜˑv	rɪ′zɜəv

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reserves	rɪ′zɜːvz	rɪ′zɜəvz
reserved	rɪ′zɜːvd	rɪ′zɜəvd
reserving	rɪ′zɜːvɪŋ	rɪ′zɜəvɪŋ
residence	′rɛzɪdəns	
residences	′rɛzɪdənsɪz	
resign	rɪ′zaɪn	
resigns	rɪ′zaɪnz	
resigned	rɪ′zaɪnd	
resigning	rɪ′zaɪnɪŋ	
resignation	rɛsɪg′neɪʃən	
resignations	rɛsɪg′neɪʃənz	
resist	rɪ′zɪst	
resists	rɪ′zɪsts	
resisted	rɪ′zɪstɪd	
resisting	rɪ′zɪstɪŋ	
resistence	rɪ′zɪstəns	
resolute	′rɛzəlut, ′rɛzəljut	
resolutely	′rɛzəlutlɪ, ′rɛzəljutlɪ	
resolution	rɛzə′luːʃən,rɛzəːlju′ʃən	
resolutions	rɛzə′luːʃənz	
	rɛzə′ljuːʃənz	
resolve	rɪ′zɒlv	rɪ′zɑlv
resolves	rɪ′zɒlvz	rɪ′zɑlvz
resolved	rɪ′zɒlvd	rɪ′zɑlvd
resolving	rɪ′zɒlvɪŋ	rɪ′zɑlvɪŋ
resort	rɪ′zɔːt	rɪ′zɔət
resorts	rɪ′zɔːts	rɪ′zɔəts
resorted	rɪ′zɔːtɪd	rɪ′zɔətɪd
resorting	rɪ′zɔːtɪŋ	rɪ′zɔətɪŋ
resource	rɪ′sɔːs	rɪ′soəs
resources	rɪ′sɔːsɪz	rɪ′soəsɪz
resourceful	rɪ′sɔːsfʊl	rɪ′soəsfʊl
respect	rɪs′pɛkt	
respects	rɪs′pɛkts	
respected	rɪs′pɛktɪd	
respecting	rɪs′pɛktɪŋ	
respectable	rɪs′pɛktəbl̩	
respectably	rɪs′pɛktəblɪ	
respectful	rɪs′pɛktfʊl	
respectfully	rɪs′pɛktfʊlɪ	
	rɪs′pɛktfəlɪ	
respective	rɪs′pɛktɪv	
respectively	rɪs′pɛktɪvlɪ	
respite	′rɛspɪt, ′rɛspaɪt	
respond	rɪs′pɒnd	rɪs′pɑnd
responds	rɪs′pɒndz	rɪs′pɑndz
responded	rɪs′pɒndɪd	rɪs′pɑndɪd

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responding	rɪs′pɒndɪŋ	rɪs′pɑndɪŋ
response	rɪs′pɒns	rɪs′pɑns
responses	rɪs′pɒnsɪz	rɪs′pɑnsɪz
responsibility	rɪspɒnsə′bɪlɪtɪ	rɪspɑnsə′bɪlɪtɪ
responsibilities	rɪspɒnsə′bɪlɪtɪz	rɛspɑnsə′bɪlɪtɪz
responsible	rɪs′pɒnsəbḷ	rɪs′pɑnsəbḷ
responsibly	rɪs′pɒnsəblɪ	rɪs′pɑnsəblɪ
responsive	rɪs′pɒnsɪv	rɪs′pɑnsɪv
rest	rɛst	
rests	rɛsts	
rested	′rɛstɪd	
resting	′rɛstɪŋ	
restaurant	′rɛstərɔŋ, ′rɛstərɒŋ	′rɛstərənt, ′rɛstərɑnt
restaurants	′rɛstərɔŋz	′rɛstərənts
	′rɛstərɒŋz	′rɛstərants
restful	′rɛstful	
restless	′rɛstlɪs	
restlessly	′rɛstlɪslɪ	
restoration	†rɛstə′reɪʃən	
restorations	†rɛstə′reɪʃənz	
restore	rɪs′tɔ·(r, rɪs′tɔə(r	rɪs′toə
restores	rɪs′tɔ·z, rɪs′tɔəz	rɪs′toəz
restored	rɪs′tɔ·d, rɪs′tɔəd	rɪs′toəd
restoring	rɪs′tɔ·rɪŋ, rɪs′tɔərɪŋ	rɪs′to·rɪŋ
restorer	rɪs′tɔ·rə(r, rɪs′tɔərə(r	rɪs′to·rə
restorers	rɪs′tɔ·rəz, rɪs′tɔərəz	rɪs′to·rəz
restrain	rɪs′treɪn	
restrains	rɪs′treɪnz	
restrained	rɪs′treɪnd	
restraining	rɪs′treɪnɪŋ	
restraint	rɪs′treɪnt	
restrict	rɪs′trɪkt	
restricts	rɪs′trɪkts	
restricted	rɪs′trɪktɪd	
restricting	rɪs′trɪktɪŋ	
restriction	rɪs′trɪkʃən	
restrictions	rɪs′trɪkʃənz	
result	rɪ′zʌlt	
results	rɪ′zʌlts	
resulted	rɪ′zʌltɪd	
resulting	rɪ′zʌltɪŋ	
resume	rɪ′zjuˑm	
resumes	rɪ′zjuˑmz	
resumed	rɪ′zjuˑmd	
resuming	rɪ′zjuˑmɪŋ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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retail, *adj. & adverb*	ˈriːˈteɪl	
retain	rɪˈteɪn	
retains	rɪˈteɪnz	
retained	rɪˈteɪnd	
retaining	rɪˈteɪnɪŋ	
retaliate	rɪˈtælɪeɪt	
retaliates	rɪˈtælɪeɪts	
retaliated	rɪˈtælɪeɪtɪd	
retaliating	rɪˈtælɪeɪtɪŋ	
retire	rɪˈtaɪə(r	rɪˈtaɪə
retires	rɪˈtaɪəz	rɪˈtaɪəz
retired	rɪˈtaɪəd	rɪˈtaɪəd
retiring	rɪˈtaɪərɪŋ	
retirement	rɪˈtaɪəmənt	rɪˈtaɪəmənt
retort	rɪˈtɔːt	rɪˈtɔət
retorts	rɪˈtɔːts	rɪˈtɔəts
retorted	rɪˈtɔːtɪd	rɪˈtɔətɪd
retorting	rɪˈtɔːtɪŋ	rɪˈtɔətɪŋ
retreat	rɪˈtriːt	
retreats	rɪˈtriːts	
retreated	rɪˈtriːtɪd	
retreating	rɪˈtriːtɪŋ	
return	rɪˈtəːn	rɪˈtɜən
returns	rɪˈtəːnz	rɪˈtɜənz
returned	rɪˈtəːnd	rɪˈtɜənd
returning	rɪˈtəːnɪŋ	rɪˈtɜənɪŋ
Rev.	ˈrɛvərənd, ˈrɛvərənt	
reveal	rɪˈviːl	
reveals	rɪˈviːlz	
revealed	rɪˈviːld	
revealing	rɪˈviːlɪŋ	
revelation	rɛvɪˈleɪʃən	
revelations	rɛvɪˈleɪʃənz	
revenge	rɪˈvɛnʤ	
revenges	rɪˈvɛnʤɪz	
revengeful	rɪˈvɛnʤful	
revenue	ˈrɛvɪnju	
revenues	ˈrɛvɪnjuz	
reverence	ˈrɛvərəns	
reverent	ˈrɛvərənt	
reverently	ˈrɛvərəntlɪ	
reverse	rɪˈvəːs	rɪˈvɜəs
reverses	rɪˈvəːsɪz	rɪˈvɜəsɪz
reversed	rɪˈvəːst	rɪˈvɜəst
reversing	rɪˈvəːsɪŋ	rɪˈvɜəsɪŋ
review	rɪˈvjuː	
reviews	rɪˈvjuːz	

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reviewed	rɪ′vju·d	
reviewing	rɪ′vju·ɪŋ	
reviewer	rɪ′vju·ə(r	rɪ′vju·ə̵
reviewers	rɪ′vju·əz	rɪ′vju·əz
revise	rɪ′vaɪz	
revises	rɪ′vaɪzɪz	
revised	rɪ′vaɪzd	
revising	rɪ′vaɪzɪŋ	
reviser	rɪ′vaɪzə(r	rɪ′vaɪzə̵
revisers	rɪ′vaɪzəz	rɪ′vaɪzəz
revision	rɪ′vɪʒən	
revisions	rɪ′vɪʒənz	
revival	rɪ′vaɪvəl	
revivals	rɪ′vaɪvəlz	
revive	rɪ′vaɪv	
revives	rɪ′vaɪvz	
revived	rɪ′vaɪvd	
reviving	rɪ′vaɪvɪŋ	
revolt	rɪ′voʊlt	
revolts	rɪ′voʊlts	
revolted	rɪ′voʊltɪd	
revolting	rɪ′voʊltɪŋ	
revolution	rɛvə′lu·ʃən	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃən	
revolutions	rɛvə′lu·ʃənz	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃənz	
revolutionary	rɛvə′lu·ʃn̩ərɪ	rɛvə′lu·ʃn̩ɛrɪ
	rɛvə′lju·ʃn̩ərɪ	
revolutionize	rɛvə′lu·ʃn̩aɪz	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃn̩aɪz	
revolutionizes	rɛvə′lu·ʃnaɪzɪz	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃn̩aɪzɪz	
revolutionized	rɛvə′lu·ʃn̩aɪzd	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃn̩aɪzd	
revolutionizing	rɛvə′lu·ʃn̩aɪzɪŋ	
	rɛvə′lju·ʃn̩aɪzɪŋ	
revolve	rɪ′vɒlv	rɪ′vɑlv
revolves	rɪ′vɒlvz	rɪ′vɑlvz
revolved	rɪ′vɒlvd	rɪ′vɑlvd
revolving	rɪ′vɒlvɪŋ	rɪ′vɑlvɪŋ
revolver	rɪ′vɒlvə(r	rɪ′vɑlvə̵
revolvers	rɪ′vɒlvəz	rɪ′vɑlvəz
reward	rɪ′wɔ·d	
rewards	rɪ′wɔ·dz	
rewarded	rɪ′wɔ·dɪd	
rewarding	rɪ′wɔ·dɪŋ	
rheumati	ru′mætɪk	

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rheumatics	ru'mætɪks	
rheumatism	'ru·mətɪzm̩	
rhinoceros	raɪ'nɒsərəs	raɪ'nɑsərəs
rhinoceroses	raɪ'nɒsərəsɪz	raɪ'nɑsərəsɪz
rhyme	raɪm	
rhymes	raɪmz	
rhymed	raɪmd	
rhyming	'raɪmɪŋ	
rhythm	'rɪðm̩, 'rɪθm̩	
rhythms	'rɪðm̩z, 'rɪθm̩z	
rib	rɪb	
ribs	rɪbz	
ribbon	'rɪbən	
ribbons	'rɪbənz	
rice	raɪs	
rich	rɪtʃ	
richer	'rɪtʃə(r	'rɪtʃə
richest	'rɪtʃɪst	
richly	'rɪtʃlɪ	
Richard	'rɪtʃəd	'rɪtʃəd
rid	rɪd	
rids	rɪdz	
ridded	'rɪdɪd	
ridding	'rɪdɪŋ	
riddance	'rɪdəns	
riddle	'rɪdl̩	
riddles	'rɪdl̩z	
ride	raɪd	
rides	raɪdz	
rode	roʊd	
ridden	'rɪdn̩	
riding	'raɪdɪŋ	
rider	'raɪdə(r	'raɪdə
riders	'raɪdəz	'raɪdəz
ridge	rɪʤ	
ridges	'rɪʤɪz	
ridicule	'rɪdɪkjul	
ridicules	'rɪdɪkjulz	
ridiculed	'rɪdɪkjuld	
ridiculing	'rɪdɪkjulɪŋ	
ridiculous	rɪ'dɪkjuləs	
	rɪ'dɪkjələs	
ridiculously	rɪ'dɪkjuləslɪ	
	rɪ'dɪkjələslɪ	
rifle	'raɪfl̩	
rifles	'raɪfl̩z	
Riga	'raɪgə, 'ri·gə	

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right	raɪt	
righteous	ˈraɪtjəs, ˈraɪtʃəs	
rightful	ˈraɪtfʊl	
rightfully	ˈraɪtfʊlɪ, ˈraɪtfəlɪ	
rightly	ˈraɪtlɪ	
rightness	ˈraɪtnɪs	
rights	raɪts	
rigid	ˈrɪʤɪd	
rigidly	ˈrɪʤɪdlɪ	
rigidity	rɪˈʤɪdɪtɪ	
rigor (*Amer.*)	ˈrɪgə(r	ˈrɪgə
rigorous	ˈrɪgərəs	
rigorously	ˈrɪgərəslɪ	
rigour	ˈrɪgə(r	ˈrɪgə
rim	rɪm	
rims	rɪmz	
ring	rɪŋ	
rings	rɪŋz	
rang	ræŋ	
rung	rʌŋ	
ringing	ˈrɪŋɪŋ	
rinse	rɪns	
rinses	ˈrɪnsɪz	
rinsed	rɪnst	
rinsing	ˈrɪnsɪŋ	
riot	ˈraɪət	
riots	ˈraɪəts	
rioted	ˈraɪətɪd	
rioting	ˈraɪətɪŋ	
rioter	ˈraɪətə(r	ˈraɪətə
rioters	ˈraɪətəz	ˈraɪətəz
ripe	raɪp	
riper	ˈraɪpə(r	ˈraɪpə
ripest	ˈraɪpɪst	
ripen	ˈraɪpən	
ripens	ˈraɪpənz	
ripened	ˈraɪpənd	
ripening	ˈraɪpənɪŋ	
ripely	ˈraɪplɪ	
ripeness	ˈraɪpnɪs	
ripple	ˈrɪpl̩	
ripples	ˈrɪpl̩z	
rise, *noun & verb*	raɪz	
rises	ˈraɪzɪz	
rose	roʊz	
risen	ˈrɪzn̩	
rising	ˈraɪzɪŋ	

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riser	ˈraɪzə(r	ˈraɪzə
risers	ˈraɪzəz	ˈraɪzəz
risk	rɪsk	
risks	rɪsks	
risked	rɪskt	
risking	ˈrɪskɪŋ	
risky	ˈrɪskɪ	
rival	ˈraɪvəl	
rivals	ˈraɪvəlz	
rivalled	ˈraɪvəld	
rivalling	ˈraɪvəlɪŋ	
rivalry	ˈraɪvəlrɪ	
rivalries	ˈraɪvəlrɪz	
river	ˈrɪvə(r	ˈrɪvə
rivers	ˈrɪvəz	ˈrɪvəz
road	roʊd	
roads	roʊdz	
roam	roʊm	
roams	roʊmz	
roamed	roʊmd	
roaming	ˈroʊmɪŋ	
roar	rɔˈ(r, rɔə(r	roə
roars	rɔˈz, rɔəz	roəz
roared	rɔˈd, rɔəd	roəd
roaring	ˈrɔˈrɪŋ, ˈrɔərɪŋ	ˈroˈrɪŋ
roast	roʊst	
roasts	roʊsts	
roasted	ˈroʊstɪd	
roasting	ˈroʊstɪŋ	
rob	rɒb	rɑb
robs	rɒbz	rɑbz
robbed	rɒbd	rɑbd
robbing	ˈrɒbɪŋ	ˈrɑbɪŋ
robber	ˈrɒbə(r	ˈrɑbə
robbers	ˈrɒbəz	ˈrɑbəz
robbery	ˈrɒbərɪ	ˈrɑbərɪ
robberies	ˈrɒbərɪz	ˈrɑbərɪz
robe	roʊb	
robes	roʊbz	
Robert	ˈrɒbət	ˈrɑbət
Robin	ˈrɒbɪn	ˈrɑbɪn
robust	roʊˈbʌst, rəˈbʌst	
rock	rɒk	rɑk
rocks	rɒks	rɑks
rocked	rɒkt	rɑkt
rocking	ˈrɒkɪŋ	ˈrɑkɪŋ
rocky	ˈrɒkɪ	ˈrɑkɪ

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rod	rɒd	rɑd
rods	rɒdz	rɑdz
RODE *from* ride	roud	
rogue	roug	
rogues	rougz	
roll	roul	
rolls	roulz	
rolled	rould	
rolling	ˈroulɪŋ	
roller	ˈroulə(r	ˈroulə
rollers	ˈrouləz	ˈrouləz
Roman	ˈroumən	
Romans	ˈroumənz	
romance	rouˈmæns, rəˈmæns	
romances	rouˈmænsɪz	
	rəˈmænsɪz	
romantic	rouˈmæntɪk	
	rəˈmæntɪk	
romantically	rouˈmæntɪkəlɪ	
	rəˈmæntɪkəlɪ	
Rome	roum	
roof	ruːf	
roofs	ruːfs	
room	ruːm, rum	
rooms	ruːmz, rumz	
roomy	ˈruːmɪ, ˈrumɪ	
root	ruːt	
roots	ruːts	
rope	roup	
ropes	roups	
rose	rouz	
roses	ˈrouzɪz	
ROSE *from* rise	rouz	
rosy	ˈrouzɪ	
rot	rɒt	rɑt
rots	rɒts	rɑts
rotted	ˈrɒtɪd	ˈrɑtɪd
rotting	ˈrɒtɪŋ	ˈrɑtɪŋ
rotten	ˈrɒtn̩	ˈrɑtn̩
rough	rʌf	
rougher	ˈrʌfə(r	ˈrʌfə
roughest	ˈrʌfɪst	
roughly	ˈrʌflɪ	
roughness	ˈrʌfnɪs	
Roumania	ruˈmeɪnjə, ruˈmeɪnɪə	
Roumanian	ruˈmeɪnjən	
	ruˈmeɪnɪən	

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Roumanians	ru'meɪnjənz	
	ru'meɪnɪənz	
round	raʊnd	
rounds	raʊndz	
rounded	'raʊndɪd	
rounding	'raʊndɪŋ	
rounder	'raʊndə(r	'raʊndə
roundest	'raʊndɪst	
roundish	'raʊndɪʃ	
roundly	'raʊndlɪ	
roundness	'raʊndnɪs	
rouse	raʊz	
rouses	'raʊzɪz	
roused	raʊzd	
rousing	'raʊzɪŋ	
routine	ru'ti:n	
row, *verb & noun*	roʊ	
rows	roʊz	
rowed	roʊd	
rowing	'roʊɪŋ	
row, *noun*	raʊ	
rows	raʊz	
rowdy	'raʊdɪ	
rower	'roʊə(r	'roʊə
rowers	'roʊəz	'roʊəz
royal	rɔɪəl	
royally	'rɔɪəlɪ, 'rɔllɪ	
royalty	'rɔɪəltɪ	
royalties	'rɔɪəltɪz	
rub	rʌb	
rubs	rʌbz	
rubbed	rʌbd	
rubbing	'rʌbɪŋ	
rubber	'rʌbə(r	'rʌbə
rubbish	'rʌbɪʃ	
ruby	'ru:bɪ	
rubies	'ru:bɪz	
rudder	'rʌdə(r	'rʌdə
rudders	'rʌdəz	'rʌdəz
rude	ru:d	
ruder	'ru:də(r	'ru:də
rudest	'ru:dɪst	
rudely	'ru:dlɪ	
rudeness	'ru:dnɪs	
rug	rʌg	
rugs	'rʌgz	
ruin	'ru:ɪn	

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ruins	ˈruːɪnz	
ruined	ˈruːɪnd	
ruining	ˈruːɪnɪŋ	
ruinous	ˈruːɪnəs	
rule	ruːl	
rules	ruːlz	
ruled	ruːld	
ruling	ˈruːlɪŋ	
ruler	ˈruːlə(r	ˈruːlə
rulers	ˈruːləz	ˈruːləz
Rumania	ruˈmeɪnjə, ruˈmeɪnɪə	
Rumanian	ruˈmeɪnjən ruˈmeɪnɪən	
Rumanians	ruˈmeɪnjənz ruˈmeɪnɪənz	
rumor (*Amer.*)		
rumour	ˈruːmə(r	ˈruːmə
rumors (*Amer.*)		
rumours	ˈruːməz	ˈruːməz
rumoured	ˈruːməd	ˈruːməd
run	rʌn	
runs	rʌnz	
ran	ræn	
running	ˈrʌnɪŋ	
RUNG *from* ring	rʌŋ	
rush	rʌʃ	
rushes	ˈrʌʃɪz	
rushed	rʌʃt	
rushing	ˈrʌʃɪŋ	
Russia	ˈrʌʃə	
Russian	ˈrʌʃən	
Russians	ˈrʌʃənz	
rust	rʌst	
rusts	rʌsts	
rusted	ˈrʌstɪd	
rusting	ˈrʌstɪŋ	
rusty	ˈrʌstɪ	
rut	rʌt	
ruts	rʌts	

S

S	ɛs	
S's	ˈɛsɪz	
sack	sæk	
sacks	sæks	
sacred	ˈseɪkrɪd	

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sacrifice	ˈsækrɪfaɪs	
sacrifices	ˈsækrɪfaɪsɪz	
sacrificed	ˈsækrɪfaɪst	
sacrificing	ˈsækrɪfaɪsɪŋ	
sad	sæˑd	
sadder	ˈsædə(r, ˈsæˑdə(r	ˈsæˑdə
saddest	ˈsædɪst, ˈsæˑdɪst	
sadly	ˈsæˑdlɪ	
sadness	ˈsæˑdnɪs	
saddle	ˈsædl̩	
saddles	ˈsædl̩z	
saddled	ˈsædl̩d	
saddling	ˈsædlɪŋ, ˈsædl̩ɪŋ	
safe	seɪf	
safes	ˈseɪfs	
safer	ˈseɪfə(r	ˈseɪfə
safest	ˈseɪfɪst	
safely	ˈseɪflɪ	
safety	ˈseɪftɪ	
SAID *from* say	sɛd	
sail	seɪl	
sails	seɪlz	
sailed	seɪld	
sailing	ˈseɪlɪŋ	
sailor	ˈseɪlə(r	ˈseɪlə
sailors	ˈseɪləz	ˈseɪləz
Saint	seɪnt *s.f.*, sənt *w.fs.*	
saint	seɪnt	
saints	seɪnts	
sake	seɪk	
sakes	seɪks	
salad	ˈsæləd	
salads	ˈsælədz	
salary	ˈsælərɪ	
* salaries	ˈsælərɪz	
sale	seɪl	
sales	seɪlz	
saleable	ˈseɪləbl̩	
salesman	ˈseɪlzmən	
salesmen	ˈseɪlzmən	
salmon	ˈsæmən	
salt	sɔˑlt, sɒlt	
salts	sɔˑlts, sɒlts	
salted	ˈsɔˑltɪd, ˈsɒltɪd	
saltness	ˈsɔˑltnɪs, ˈsɒltnɪs	
salutation	sæljʊˈteɪʃən	
salutations	sæljʊˈteɪʃənz	

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salute	sə'luːt, sə'ljuːt	
salutes	sə'luːts, sə'ljuːts	
saluted	sə'luːtɪd, sə'ljuːtɪd	
saluting	sə'luːtɪŋ, sə'ljuːtɪŋ	
salvation	sæl'veɪʃən	
same	seɪm	
sample	'sɑːmpl̩	'saːmpl̩
samples	'sɑːmpl̩z	'saːmpl̩z
Samuel	'sæmjʊəl	
sanction	'sæŋkʃən	
sanctions	'sæŋkʃənz	
sanctioned	'sæŋkʃənd	
sanctioning	'sæŋkʃənɪŋ	
sand	'sænd	
sandwich	'sænd*d*wɪtʃ	
sandwiches	'sænd*d*wɪtʃɪz	
	'sænd*d*wɪʤɪz	
sandy	'sændɪ	
sane	seɪn	
sanely	'seɪnlɪ	
San Francisco	sænfrən'sɪskoʊ	
SANG *from* sing	sæŋ	
sanitary	'sænɪtərɪ	'sænɪterɪ
sanity	'sænɪtɪ	
SANK *from* sink	sæŋk	
Sarah	'sɛərə	'sɛːrə
sarcasm	'sɑːkæzm̩	'sɑəkæzm̩
sarcastic	sɑ'kæstɪk	sɑə'kæstɪk
sarcastically	sɑ'kæstɪkəlɪ	sɑə'kæstɪkəlɪ
sardine	'sɑː'diːn	'sɑə'diːn
sardines	'sɑː'diːnz	'sɑə'diːnz
sash	sæʃ	
sashes	'sæʃɪz	
SAT *from* sit	sæt	
satirical	sə'tɪrɪkəl	
satisfaction	sætɪs'fækʃən	
satisfactorily	sætɪs'fæktərɪlɪ	
satisfactory	sætɪs'fæktərɪ	
satisfy	'sætɪsfaɪ	
satisfies	'sætɪsfaɪz	
satisfied	'sætɪsfaɪd	
satisfying	'sætɪsfaɪɪŋ	
Saturday	'sætədɪ	'sætədɪ
Saturdays	'sætədɪz	'sætədɪz
sauce	sɔːs	
sauces	'sɔːsɪz	
saucepan	'sɔːspən, 'sɔːspæn	

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saucepans	ˈsɔːspənz, ˈsɔːspænz	
saucer	ˈsɔːsə(r	ˈsɔːsə
saucers	ˈsɔːsəz	ˈsɔːsəz
saucily	ˈsɔːsɪlɪ	
saucy	ˈsɔːsɪ	
sausage	ˈsɒsɪʤ	
sausages	ˈsɒsɪʤɪz	
savage	ˈsævɪʤ	
savages	ˈsævɪʤɪz	
savagely	ˈsævɪʤlɪ	
save	seɪv	
saves	seɪvz	
saved	seɪvd	
saving	ˈseɪvɪŋ	
savings	ˈseɪvɪŋz	
saw	sɔː	
saws	sɔːz	
sawed	sɔːd	
sawing	ˈsɔːɪŋ	
say	seɪ	
says	sɛz	
said	sɛd	
saying	ˈseɪɪŋ	
sayings	ˈseɪɪŋz	
scaffold	ˈskæfəld	
scaffolds	ˈskæfəldz	
scaffolding	ˈskæfəldɪŋ	
scaffoldings	ˈskæfəldɪŋz	
scald	skɔːld	
scalds	skɔːldz	
scalded	ˈskɔːldɪd	
scalding	ˈskɔːldɪŋ	
scale	skeɪl	
scales	skeɪlz	
scaled	skeɪld	
scaling	ˈskeɪlɪŋ	
scandal	ˈskænd|	
scandals	ˈskænd|z	
scandalous	ˈskændələs	
scant	skænt	
scanty	ˈskæntɪ	
scar	skɑː(r	skɑə
scars	skɑːz	skɑəz
scarce	skɛəs	skɛəs
scarcer	ˈskɛəsə(r	ˈskɛəsə
scarcest	ˈskɛəsɪst	ˈskɛəsɪst
scarcely	ˈskɛəslɪ	ˈskɛəslɪ

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scarcity	ˈskɛəsɪtɪ	ˈskɛəsɪtɪ
scarceness	ˈskɛəsnɪs	ˈskɛəsnɪs
scare	skɛə(r	ˈskɛə
scares	ˈskɛəz	ˈskɛəz
scared	ˈskɛəd	ˈskɛəd
scaring	ˈskɛərɪŋ	ˈskɛˑrɪŋ
scarf	skɑˑf	skɑəf
scarves	skɑˑvz	skɑəvz
scarlet	ˈskɑˑlɪt, ˈskɑˑlət	ˈskɑəlɪt, ˈskɑələt
scatter	ˈskætə(r	ˈskætə
scatters	ˈskætəz	ˈskætəz
scattered	ˈskætəd	ˈskætəd
scattering	ˈskætərɪŋ	
scene	siˑn	
scenes	siˑnz	
scenery	ˈsiˑnərɪ	
scent	sɛnt	
scents	sɛnts	
sceptic	ˈskɛptɪk	
sceptics	ˈskɛptɪks	
sceptical	ˈskɛptɪkəl	
sceptically	ˈskɛptɪkəlɪ	
schedule	ˈʃɛdjul	ˈskɛdjul
schedules	ˈʃɛdjulz	ˈskɛdjulz
scheduled	ˈʃɛdjuld	ˈskɛdjuld
scheduling	ˈʃɛdjulɪŋ	ˈskɛdjulɪŋ
scheme	skiˑm	
schemes	skiˑmz	
schemed	skiˑmd	
scheming	ˈskiˑmɪŋ	
scholar	ˈskɒlə(r	ˈskɑlə
scholars	ˈskɒləz	ˈskɑləz
scholarly	ˈskɒləlɪ	ˈskɑləlɪ
scholarship	ˈskɒləʃɪp	ˈskɑləʃɪp
scholarships	ˈskɒləʃɪps	ˈskɑləʃɪps
scholastic	†skəˈlæstɪk	
school	skuˑl	
schools	skuˑlz	
school-room	ˈskuˑlrum, ˈskuˑlrʊm	
school-rooms	ˈskuˑlrumz	
	ˈskuˑlrʊmz	
science	ˈsaɪəns	
sciences	ˈsaɪənsɪz	
scientific	saɪənˈtɪfɪk	
scientifically	saɪənˈtɪfɪkəlɪ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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scientist	ˈsaɪəntɪst	
scientists	ˈsaɪəntɪsts	
scissors	ˈsɪzəz	
scoff	skɒf	skɑf
scoffs	skɒfs	skɑfs
scoffed	skɒft	skɑft
scoffing	ˈskɒfɪŋ	ˈskɑfɪŋ
scoffer	ˈskɒfə(r	ˈskɑfə
scoffers	ˈskɒfəz	ˈskɑfəz
scold	skoʊld	
scolds	skoʊldz	
scolded	ˈskoʊldɪd	
scolding	ˈskoʊldɪŋ	
scope	skoʊp	
scopes	skoʊps	
scorch	skɔˈtʃ	skɔətʃ
scorches	ˈskɔˈtʃɪz	ˈskɔətʃɪz
scorched	ˈskɔˈtʃ	ˈskɔətʃ
scorching	ˈskɔˈtʃɪŋ	ˈskɔətʃɪŋ
score	skɔˈ(r, skɔə(r	skoə
scores	skɔˈz, skɔəz	skoəz
scored	skɔˈd, skɔəd	skoəd
scoring	ˈskɔˈrɪŋ, ˈskɔərɪŋ	ˈskoˈrɪŋ
scorn	skɔˈn	skɔən
scornful	ˈskɔˈnfʊl	ˈskɔənfʊl
scornfully	ˈskɔˈnfʊlɪ, ˈskɔˈnfəlɪ	ˈskɔənfʊlɪ, ˈskɔənfəlɪ
Scot	skɒt	skɑt
Scots	skɒts	skɑts
Scotch	skɒtʃ	skɑtʃ
Scotland	ˈskɒtlənd	ˈskɑtlənd
Scottish	ˈskɒtɪʃ	ˈskɑtɪʃ
scoundrel	ˈskaʊndrəl	
scoundrels	ˈskaʊndrəlz	
scour	ˈskaʊə(r	ˈskaʊə
scours	ˈskaʊəz	ˈskaʊəz
scoured	ˈskaʊəd	ˈskaʊəd
scouring	ˈskaʊərɪŋ	ˈskaʊrɪŋ
scout	skaʊt	
scouts	skaʊts	
scramble	ˈskræmbḷ	
scrambles	ˈskræmbḷz	
scrambled	ˈskræmbḷd	
scrambling	ˈskræmblɪŋ	
scrap	skræp	
scraps	skræps	
scrapped	skræpt	
scrapping	ˈskræpɪŋ	

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scrape	skreɪp	
scrapes	skreɪps	
scraped	skreɪpt	
scraping	ˈskreɪpɪŋ	
scrappy	ˈskræpɪ	
scratch	skrætʃ	
scratches	ˈskrætʃɪz	
scratched	ˈskrætʃt	
scratching	ˈskrætʃɪŋ	
scrawl	skrɔˑl	
scrawls	skrɔˑlz	
scrawled	skrɔˑld	
scrawling	ˈskrɔˑlɪŋ	
scream	skriˑm	
screams	skriˑmz	
screamed	skriˑmd	
screaming	ˈskriˑmɪŋ	
screen	skriˑn	
screens	skriˑnz	
screened	skriˑnd	
screening	ˈskriˑnɪŋ	
screw	skruˑ	
screws	skruˑz	
screwed	skruˑd	
screwing	skruɪŋ	
scribble	ˈskrɪbl̩	
scribbles	ˈskrɪbl̩z	
scribbled	ˈskrɪbl̩d	
scribbling	ˈskrɪblɪŋ	
scripture	ˈskrɪptʃə(r	ˈskrɪptʃə
scriptures	ˈskrɪptʃəz	ˈskrɪptʃəz
scrub	skrʌb	
scrubs	skrʌbz	
scrubbed	skrʌbd	
scrubbing	ˈskrʌbɪŋ	
scruple	ˈskruˑpl̩	
scruples	ˈskruˑpl̩z	
scrupulous	ˈskruˑpjʊləs ˈskruˑpjələs	
scrupulously	ˈskruˑpjʊləslɪ ˈskruˑpjələslɪ	
scullery	ˈskʌlərɪ	
sculleries	ˈskʌlərɪz	
sculptor	ˈskʌlptə(r	ˈskʌlptə
sculptors	ˈskʌlptəz	ˈskʌlptəz
sculpture	ˈskʌlptʃə(r	ˈskʌlptʃə
sculptures	ˈskʌlptʃəz	ˈskʌlptʃəz

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scum	skʌm	
sea	siˑ	
seas	siˑz	
seal	siˑl	
seals	sɪˑlz	
sealed	siˑld	
sealing	ˈsiˑɪŋ	
seam	siˑm	
seams	siˑmz	
seaman	ˈsiˑmən	
seamen	ˈsiˑmən	
seaport	ˈsiˑpɔt	ˈsiˑpoət
seaports	ˈsiˑpɔts	ˈsiˑpoəts
search	səˑtʃ	səətʃ
searches	ˈsəˑtʃɪz	ˈsəətʃɪz
searched	səˑtʃt	səətʃt
searching	ˈsəˑtʃɪŋ	ˈsəətʃɪŋ
seasick	ˈsiˑsɪk	
seasickness	ˈsiˑsɪknɪs	
season	ˈsiˑzn̩	
seasons	ˈsiˑzn̩z	
seasonable	ˈsiˑznəbl̩, ˈsiˑzn̩əbl̩	
seat	siˑt	
seats	siˑts	
seated	ˈsiˑtɪd	
seating	ˈsiˑtɪŋ	
seaworthy	ˈsiˑwəðɪ	ˈsiˑwəəðɪ
seclude	sɪˈkluˑd	
secluded	sɪˈkluˑdɪd	
seclusion	sɪˈkluˑʒən	
second	ˈsɛkənd	
secondary	ˈsɛkəndərɪ	ˈsɛkəndɛrɪ
secondly	ˈsɛkəndlɪ	
secrecy	ˈsiˑkrɪsɪ	
secret	ˈsiˑkrɪt	
secrets	ˈsiˑkrɪts	
secretary	ˈsɛkrətrɪ	ˈsɛkrətɛrɪ
secretaries	ˈsɛkrətrɪz	ˈsɛkrətɛrɪz
secretive	sɪˈkriˑtɪv	
secretly	ˈsiˑkrɪtlɪ	
sect	sɛkt	
sects	sɛkts	
section	ˈsɛkʃən	
sections	ˈsɛkʃənz	
secure	sɪˈkjʊə(r	sɪˈkjʊə
secures	sɪˈkjʊəz	sɪˈkjʊəz
secured	sɪˈkjʊəd	sɪˈkjʊəd

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securing	sɪ'kjʊərɪŋ	sɪ'kjʊ·rɪŋ
security	sɪ'kjʊərɪtɪ	sɪ'kjʊ·rɪtɪ
secruities	sɪ'kjʊərɪtɪz	sɪ'kjʊ·rɪtɪz
see	si·	
sees	si·z	
saw	sɔ·	
seen	si·n	
seeing	'si·ɪŋ	
seed	si·d	
seeds	si·dz	
seek	si·k	
seeks	si·ks	
sought	sɔ·t	
seeking	'si·kɪŋ	
seem	si·m	
seems	si·mz	
seemed	si·md	
seeming	'si·mɪŋ	
seemingly	'si·mɪŋlɪ	
SEEN *from* see	si·n	
seesaw	'si·'sɔ·	
seize	si·z	
seizes	'si·zɪz	
seized	si·zd	
seizing	'si·zɪŋ	
seizure	'si·ʒə(r	'si·ʒə
seldom	'sɛldəm	
select	sɪ'lɛkt	
selects	sɪ'lɛkts	
selected	sɪ'lɛktɪd	
selecting	sɪ'lɛktɪŋ	
selection	sɪ'lɛkʃən	
selections	sɪ'lɛkʃənz	
self	sɛlf	
selves	sɛlvz	
sell	sɛl	
sells	sɛlz	
sold	sould	
selling	'sɛlɪŋ	
seller	'sɛlə(r	'sɛlə
sellers	'sɛləz	'sɛləz
semantic	sɪ'mæntɪk	
semantics	sɪ'mæntɪks	
semi-, *prefix*	'sɛmɪ-	
semicircle	'sɛmɪsəkl̩	'sɛmɪsəəkl̩
semicircles	'sɛmɪsəkl̩z	'sɛmɪsəəkl̩z
semicolon	'sɛmɪ'koulən	

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semicolons	ˈsɛmɪˈkoʊlənz	
send	sɛnd	
sends	sɛndz	
sent	sɛnt	
sending	ˈsɛndɪŋ	
sender	ˈsɛndə(r	ˈsɛndə
senders	ˈsɛndəz	ˈsɛndəz
send-off	ˈsɛnˈdɔːf, ˈsɛnˈdɒf	
senior	ˈsiːnjə(r	ˈsiːnjə
seniors	ˈsiːnjəz	ˈsiːnjəz
sensation	sɛnˈseɪʃən, sənˈseɪʃən	
sensations	sɛnˈseɪʃənz	
	sənˈseɪʃənz	
sensational	sɛnˈseɪʃənl̩	
	sənˈseɪʃənl̩	
sense	sɛns	
senses	ˈsɛnsɪz	
senseless	ˈsɛnslɪs	
sensibility	sɛnsɪˈbɪlɪtɪ	
sensible	ˈsɛnsɪbl̩	
sensibly	ˈsɛnsɪblɪ	
sensitive	ˈsɛnsɪtɪv	
SENT *from* send	sɛnt	
sentence	ˈsɛntəns	
sentences	ˈsɛntənsɪz	
sentenced	ˈsɛntənst	
sentencing	ˈsɛntənsɪŋ	
sentiment	ˈsɛntɪmənt	
sentiments	ˈsɛntɪmənts	
sentimental	sɛntɪˈmɛntl̩	
sentinel	ˈsɛntɪnl̩	
sentinels	ˈsɛntɪnl̩z	
sentry	ˈsɛntrɪ	
sentries	ˈsɛntrɪz	
separable	ˈsɛpərəbl̩	
separate, *adj.*	ˈsɛpərɪt	
separately	ˈsɛpərɪtlɪ	
separate, *verb*	ˈsɛpəreɪt	
separates	ˈsɛpəreɪts	
separated	ˈsɛpəreɪtɪd	
separating	ˈsɛpəreɪtɪŋ	
separation	sɛpəˈreɪʃən	
separations	sɛpəˈreɪʃənz	
September	səpˈtɛmbə(r	səpˈtɛmbə
	sɛpˈtɛmbə(r	sɛpˈtɛmbə
sequel	ˈsiːkwəl	
sequels	ˈsiːkwəlz	

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sequence	ˈsiːkwəns	
sequences	ˈsiːkwənsɪz	
Serb	səːb	səəb
Serbs	səːbz	səəbz
Serbia	ˈsəːbɪə	ˈsəəbɪə
Serbian	ˈsəːbɪən	ˈsəəbɪən
Serbians	ˈsəːbɪənz	ˈsəəbɪənz
serene	sɪˈriːn	
sergeant	ˈsɑːʤənt	ˈsɑəʤənt
sergeants	ˈsɑːʤənts	ˈsɑəʤənts
serial	ˈsɪərɪəl	ˈsiːrɪəl
serials	ˈsɪərɪəlz	ˈsiːrɪəlz
series	ˈsɪəriz, ˈsɪərɪz	ˈsiːriz, ˈsiːrɪz
serious	ˈsɪərɪəs	ˈsiːrɪəs
seriously	ˈsɪərɪəslɪ	ˈsiːrɪəslɪ
seriousness	ˈsɪərɪəsnɪs	ˈsiːrɪəsnɪs
sermon	ˈsəːmən	ˈsəəmən
sermons	ˈsəːmənz	ˈsəəmənz
servant	ˈsəːvənt	ˈsəəvənt
servants	ˈsəːvənts	ˈsəəvənts
serve	səːv	səəv
serves	səːvz	səəvz
served	səːvd	səəvd
serving	ˈsəːvɪŋ	ˈsəəvɪŋ
service	ˈsəːvɪs	ˈsəəvɪs
services	ˈsəːvɪsɪz	ˈsəəvɪsɪz
serviceable	ˈsəːvɪsəbl̩	ˈsəəvɪsəbl̩
session	ˈsɛʃən	
sessions	ˈsɛʃənz	
set	sɛt	
sets	sɛts	
setting	ˈsɛtɪŋ	
settle	ˈsɛtl̩	
settles	ˈsɛtl̩z	
settled	ˈsɛtl̩d	
settling	ˈsɛtlɪŋ, ˈsɛtl̩ɪŋ	
settlement	ˈsɛtl̩mənt	
settlements	ˈsɛtl̩mənts	
settler	ˈsɛtlə(r	ˈsɛtlə
settlers	ˈsɛtləz	ˈsɛtləz
seven	ˈsɛvn̩	
seventeen	ˈsɛvn̩ˈtiːn	
seventeenth	ˈsɛvn̩ˈtiːnθ	
seventeenths	ˈsɛvn̩ˈtiːnθs	
seventh	ˈsɛvn̩θ	
sevenths	ˈsɛvn̩θs	
seventieth	ˈsɛvn̩tɪɪθ	

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seventieths	ˈsɛvn̩tɪɪθs	
seventy	ˈsɛvn̩tɪ	
several	ˈsɛvrəl	
severe	sɪˈvɪə(r	sɪˈvɪə
severer	sɪˈvɪ̈rə(r	sɪˈvɪ:rə
severest	sɪˈvɪərɪst	sɪˈvɪ:rɪst
severely	sɪˈvɪəlɪ	sɪˈvɪəlɪ
severity	sɪˈvɛrɪtɪ	
sew	soʊ	
sews	soʊz	
sewed	soʊd	
sewing	ˈsoʊɪŋ	
sex	sɛks	
sexes	ˈsɛksɪz	
sexual	ˈsɛksjʊəl, ˈsɛkʃʊəl	
sexually	ˈsɛksjʊəlɪ, ˈsɛkʃʊəlɪ	
shabby	ˈʃæbɪ	
shabbily	ˈʃæbɪlɪ	
shabbiness	ˈʃæbɪnɪs	
shade	ʃeɪd	
shades	ʃeɪdz	
shaded	ˈʃeɪdɪd	
shading	ˈʃeɪdɪŋ	
shadow	ˈʃædoʊ	
shadows	ˈʃædoʊz	
shady	ˈʃeɪdɪ	
shaft	ʃɑ:ft	ʃa:ft
shafts	ʃɑ:fts	ʃa:fts
shake	ʃeɪk	
shakes	ʃeɪks	
shook	ʃʊk	
shaken	ˈʃeɪkən	
shaking	ˈʃeɪkɪŋ	
shall	ʃæl *s.f.*, ʃəl *w.fs.*	
shallow	ˈʃælo ʊ	
shallower	ˈʃælo ʊə(r	ˈʃælo ʊə
shallowest	ˈʃælo ʊɪst	
shallowness	ˈʃælo ʊnɪs	
sham	ʃæm	
shame	ʃeɪm	
shames	ʃeɪmz	
shamed	ʃeɪmd	
shaming	ˈʃeɪmɪŋ	
shameful	ˈʃeɪmfʊl	
shamefully	ˈʃeɪmfʊlɪ, ˈʃeɪmfəlɪ	
shameless	ˈʃeɪmlɪs	
Shanghai	ˈʃæŋˈhaɪ	

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shan't, *shall not*	ʃɑˈnt	ʃaˈnt
shape	ʃeɪp	
shapes	ʃeɪps	
share	ʃɛə(r	ʃɛə
shares	ʃɛəz	ʃɛəz
shared	ʃɛəd	ʃɛəd
sharing	ˈʃɛərɪŋ	ˈʃɛˈrɪŋ
shark	ʃɑˈk	ʃɑək
sharks	ʃɑˈks	ʃɑəks
sharp	ʃɑˈp	ʃɑəp
sharper	ˈʃɑˈpə(r	ˈʃɑəpə
sharpest	ˈʃɑˈpɪst	ˈʃɑəpɪst
sharpen	ˈʃɑˈpən	ˈʃɑəpən
sharpens	ˈʃɑˈpənz	ˈʃɑəpənz
sharpened	ˈʃɑˈpənd	ˈʃɑəpənd
sharpening	ˈʃɑˈpənɪŋ	ˈʃɑəpənɪŋ
sharply	ˈʃɑˈplɪ	ˈʃɑəplɪ
shave	ʃeɪv	
shaves	ʃeɪvz	
shaved	ʃeɪvd	
shaving	ˈʃeɪvɪŋ	
shavings	ˈʃeɪvɪŋz	
shawl	ʃɔˈl	
shawls	ʃɔˈlz	
she	ʃiˈ, *s.f.*, ʃi, ʃɪ *w.fs.*	
shed	ʃɛd	
sheds	ʃɛdz	
shedding	ˈʃɛdɪŋ	
sheep	ʃiˈp	
sheer	ʃɪə(r	ʃɪə
sheet	ʃiˈt	
sheets	ʃiˈts	
shelf	ʃɛlf	
shelves	ʃɛlvz	
shell	ʃɛl	
shells	ʃɛlz	
shelter	ˈʃɛltə(r	ˈʃɛltə
shelters	ˈʃɛltəz	ˈʃɛltəz
sheltered	ˈʃɛltəd	ˈʃɛltəd
sheltering	ˈʃɛltərɪŋ	
shepherd	ˈʃɛpəd	ˈʃɛpəd
shepherds	ˈʃɛpədz	ˈʃɛpədz
sheriff	ˈʃɛrɪf	
sheriffs	ˈʃɛrɪfs	
shield	ʃiˈld	
shields	ʃiˈldz	
shielded	ˈʃiˈldɪd	

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shielding	ˈʃiːldɪŋ	
shift	ʃɪft	
shifts	ʃɪfts	
shifted	ˈʃɪftɪd	
shifting	ˈʃɪftɪŋ	
shine	ʃaɪn	
shines	ʃaɪnz	
shined	ʃaɪnd	
shone	ʃɒn	ʃoʊn
shining	ˈʃaɪnɪŋ	
ship	ʃɪp	
ships	ʃɪps	
shipped	ʃɪpt	
shipping	ˈʃɪpɪŋ	
shipwreck	ˈʃɪprɛk	
shipwrecks	ˈʃɪprɛks	
shipwrecked	ˈʃɪprɛkt	
shirk	ʃɜːk	ʃɜək
shirks	ʃɜːks	ʃɜəks
shirked	ʃɜːkt	ʃɜəkt
shirking	ˈʃɜːkɪŋ	ˈʃɜəkɪŋ
shirker	ˈʃɜːkə(r	ˈʃɜəkə
shirkers	ˈʃɜːkəz	ˈʃɜəkəz
shirt	ʃɜːt	ʃɜət
shirts	ʃɜːts	ʃɜəts
shiver	ˈʃɪvə(r	ˈʃɪvə
shivers	ˈʃɪvəz	ˈʃɪvəz
shivered	ˈʃɪvəd	ˈʃɪvəd
shivering	ˈʃɪvərɪŋ	
shock	ʃɒk	ʃɑk
shocks	ʃɒks	ʃɑks
shocked	ʃɒkt	ʃɑkt
shocking	ˈʃɒkɪŋ	ˈʃɑkɪŋ
shockingly	ˈʃɒkɪŋlɪ	ˈʃɑkɪŋlɪ
shoe	ʃuː	
shoes	ʃuːz	
SHONE *from* shine	ʃɒn	ʃoʊn
SHOOK *from* shake	ʃʊk	
shoot	ʃuːt	
shoots	ʃuːts	
shot	ʃɒt	ʃɑt
shooting	ˈʃuːtɪŋ	
shop	ʃɒp	ʃɑp
shops	ʃɒps	ʃɑps
shopping	ˈʃɒpɪŋ	ˈʃɑpɪŋ
shore	ʃɔː(r, ʃɔə(r	ʃoə
shores	ʃɔːz, ʃɔəz	ʃoəz

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short	ʃɔˑt	ʃɔət
shorter	ˈʃɔˑtə(r	ˈʃɔətə
shortest	ˈʃɔˑtɪst	ˈʃɔətɪst
shortcomings	ˈʃɔtˈkʌmɪŋz	ˈʃɔətˈkʌmɪŋz
shorten	ˈʃɔˑtn̩	ˈʃɔətn̩
shortens	ˈʃɔˑtn̩z	ˈʃɔətn̩z
shortened	ˈʃɔˑtn̩d	ˈʃɔətn̩d
shortening	ˈʃɔˑtnɪŋ	ˈʃɔətnɪŋ
shorthand	ˈʃɔˑthænd	ˈʃɔəthænd
shortly	ˈʃɔˑtlɪ	ˈʃɔətlɪ
shortness	ˈʃɔˑtnɪs	ˈʃɔətnɪs
short-sighted	ˈʃɔˑtˈsaɪtɪd	ˈʃɔətˈsaɪtɪd
shot	ʃɒt	ʃɑt
shots	ʃɒts	ʃɑts
SHOT *from* shoot	ʃɒt	ʃɑt
should	ʃʊd *s.f.*, ʃəd, ʃt *w.fs.*	
shoulder	ˈʃoʊldə(r	ˈʃoʊldə
shoulders	ˈʃoʊldəz	ˈʃoʊldəz
shouldered	ˈʃoʊldəd	ˈʃoʊldəd
shouldering	ˈʃoʊldərɪŋ	
shout	ʃaʊt	
shouts	ʃaʊts	
shouted	ˈʃaʊtɪd	
shouting	ˈʃaʊtɪŋ	
shovel	ˈʃʌvl̩	
shovels	ˈʃʌvl̩z	
show	ʃoʊ	
shows	ʃoʊz	
showed	ʃoʊd	
showing	ˈʃoʊɪŋ	
shower, *noun*	ˈʃaʊə(r	ˈʃaʊə
showers	ˈʃaʊəz	ˈʃaʊəz
showy	ˈʃoʊɪ	
SHRANK *from* shrink	ʃræŋk	
shred	ʃrɛd	
shreds	ʃrɛdz	
shrewd	ʃruˑd	
shrewdly	ˈʃruˑdlɪ	
shrill	ʃrɪl	
shrink	ʃrɪŋk	
shrinks	ʃrɪŋks	
shrank	ʃræŋk	
shrunk	ʃrʌŋk	
shrinking	ˈʃrɪŋkɪŋ	
shrub	ʃrʌb	
shrubs	ʃrʌbz	
shrug	ʃrʌg	

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shrugs	ʃrʌgz	
shrugged	ʃrʌgd	
shrugging	ˈʃrʌgɪŋ	
SHRUNK *from* shrink	ʃrʌŋk	
shut	ʃʌt	
shuts	ʃʌts	
shutting	ˈʃʌtɪŋ	
shutter	ˈʃʌtə(r	ˈʃʌtə
shutters	ˈʃʌtəz	ˈʃʌtəz
shy	ʃaɪ	
shyer	ˈʃaɪə(r	ˈʃaɪə
shyest	ˈʃaɪɪst	
shyly	ˈʃaɪlɪ	
shyness	ˈʃaɪnɪs	
Siam	saɪˈæm, ˈsaɪæm	
Siamese	ˈsaɪəˈmiːz	
Siberia	saɪˈbɪərɪə	saɪˈbɪːrɪə
Siberian	saɪˈbɪərɪən	saɪˈbɪːrɪən
Sicily	ˈsɪsɪlɪ	
sick	sɪk	
sickness	ˈsɪknɪs	
side	saɪd	
sides	saɪdz	
sided	ˈsaɪdɪd	
siding	ˈsaɪdɪŋ	
sideways	ˈsaɪdweɪz	
sidewise (*Amer.*)		ˈsaɪdwaɪz
siege	siːʤ	
sieges	ˈsiːʤɪz	
sift	sɪft	
sifts	sɪfts	
sifted	ˈsɪftɪd	
sifting	ˈsɪftɪŋ	
sigh	saɪ	
sighs	saɪz	
sighed	saɪd	
sighing	ˈsaɪɪŋ	
sight	saɪt	
sights	saɪts	
sighted	ˈsaɪtɪd	
sighting	ˈsaɪtɪŋ	
sign	saɪn	
signs	saɪnz	
signed	saɪnd	
signing	ˈsaɪnɪŋ	
signal	ˈsɪgnl̩	
signals	ˈsɪgnl̩z	

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signalled	ˈsɪgn̩d	
signalling	ˈsɪgnəlɪŋ	
signature	ˈsɪgnɪtʃə(r	ˈsɪgnɪtʃə
signatures	ˈsɪgnɪtʃəz	ˈsɪgnɪtʃəz
signboard	ˈsaɪnbɔəd, ˈsaɪnbɔəd	ˈsaɪnboəd
signboards	ˈsaɪnbɔdz, ˈsaɪnbɔədz	ˈsaɪnboədz
significance	sɪgˈnɪfɪkəns	
significant	sɪgˈnɪfɪkənt	
significantly	sɪgˈnɪfɪkəntlɪ	
signification	sɪgnɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
significative	sɪgˈnɪfɪkətɪv	
signify	ˈsɪgnɪfaɪ	
signifies	ˈsɪgnɪfaɪz	
signified	ˈsɪgnɪfaɪd	
signifying	ˈsɪgnɪfaɪɪŋ	
silence	ˈsaɪləns	
silences	ˈsaɪləɪnsɪz	
silenced	ˈsaɪlənst	
silencing	ˈsaɪlənsɪŋ	
silent	ˈsaɪlənt	
silently	ˈsaɪləntlɪ	
silk	sɪlk	
silly	ˈsɪlɪ	
sillier	ˈsɪlɪə(r	ˈsɪlɪə
silliest	ˈsɪlɪst	
silliness	ˈsɪlɪnɪs	
silver	ˈsɪlvə(r	ˈsɪlvə
similar	ˈsɪmɪlə(r	ˈsɪmɪlə
similarity	sɪmɪˈlærɪtɪ	
similarities	sɪmɪˈlærɪtɪz	
similarly	ˈsɪmɪləlɪ	ˈsɪmɪləlɪ
simple	ˈsɪmp̩l	
simpler	ˈsɪmplə(r	ˈsɪmplə
simplest	ˈsɪmplɪst	
simplicity	sɪmˈplɪsɪtɪ	
simplification	sɪmplɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
simplifications	sɪmplɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
simplify	ˈsɪmplɪfaɪ	
simplifies	ˈsɪmplɪfaɪz	
simplified	ˈsɪmplɪfaɪd	
simplifying	ˈsɪmplɪfaɪɪŋ	
simply	ˈsɪmplɪ	
simultaneous	sɪməlˈteɪnjəs	
	sɪməlˈteɪnɪəs	
simultaneously	sɪməlˈteɪnjəslɪ	
	sɪməlˈteɪnɪəslɪ	
sin	sɪn	

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sins	sɪnz	
sinned	sɪnd	
sinning	ˈsɪnɪŋ	
since	sɪns	
sincere	sɪnˈsɪə(r	sɪnˈsɪə
sincerely	sɪnˈsɪəlɪ	sɪnˈsɪəlɪ
sincerity	sɪnˈsɛrɪtɪ	
sing	sɪŋ	
sings	sɪŋz	
sang	sæŋ	
sung	sʌŋ	
singing	ˈsɪŋɪŋ	
singer	ˈsɪŋə(r	ˈsɪŋə
singers	ˈsɪŋəz	ˈsɪŋəz
single	ˈsɪŋgl̩	
singly	ˈsɪŋglɪ	
singular	ˈsɪŋgjələ(r, ˈsɪŋgjulə(r	ˈsɪŋgjələ, ˈsɪŋgjulə
singularly	ˈsɪŋgjələlɪ, ˈsɪŋgjulə̇lɪ	ˈsɪŋgjələlɪ, ˈsɪŋgjulə̇lɪ
sink	sɪŋk	
sinks	sɪŋks	
sank	sæŋk	
sunk	sʌŋk	
sinking	ˈsɪŋkɪŋ	
sinner	ˈsɪnə(r	ˈsɪnə
sinners	ˈsɪnəz	ˈsɪnəz
sip	sɪp	
sips	sɪps	
sipped	sɪpt	
sipping	ˈsɪpɪŋ	
sir	sɜˑ(r *s.f.*, sə(r *w.f.*	sɜə *s.f.*, sə *w.f.*
sirs	sɜˑz	sɜəz
sister	ˈsɪstə(r	ˈsɪstə
sisters	ˈsɪstəz	ˈsɪstəz
sit	sɪt	
sits	sɪts	
sat	sæt	
sitting	ˈsɪtɪŋ	
site	saɪt	
sites	saɪts	
situated	ˈsɪtjuɛɪtɪd	
situation	sɪtjuˈeɪʃən	
situations	sɪtjuˈeɪʃənz	
six	sɪks	
sixteen	ˈsɪksˈtiˑn	
sixteenth	ˈsɪksˈtiˑnθ	
sixteenths	ˈsɪksˈtiˑnθs	
sixth	sɪksθ	

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sixths	sɪkstθs	
sixtieth	ˈsɪkstɪʊθ	
sixtieths	ˈsɪkstɪʊθs	
sixty	ˈsɪkstɪ	
size	saɪz	
sizes	ˈsaɪzɪz	
sized	saɪzd	
skate	skeɪt	
skates	skeɪts	
skated	ˈskeɪtɪd	
skating	ˈskeɪtɪŋ	
skater	ˈskeɪtə(r	ˈskeɪtə
skaters	ˈskeɪtəz	ˈskeɪtəz
skeleton	ˈskɛlɪtn̩	
skeletons	ˈskɛlɪtn̩z	
sketch	skɛtʃ	
sketches	ˈskɛtʃɪz	
sketched	skɛtʃt	
sketching	ˈskɛtʃɪŋ	
skilful	ˈskɪlful	
skilfully	ˈskɪlfulɪ, ˈskɪlfəlɪ	
skill	skɪl	
skilled	skɪld	
skillful (*Amer.*)	ˈskɪlful	
skillfully (*Amer.*)	ˈskɪlfulɪ, ˈskɪlfəlɪ	
skin	skɪn	
skins	skɪnz	
skinned	skɪnd	
skinning	ˈskɪnɪŋ	
skip	skɪp	
skips	skɪps	
skipped	skɪpt	
skipping	ˈskɪpɪŋ	
skirt	skɜˑt	skɜət
skirts	skɜˑts	skɜəts
skull	skʌl	
skulls	skʌlz	
sky	skaɪ	
skies	skaɪz	
slab	slæb	
slabs	slæbs	
slack	slæk	
slacker	ˈslækə(r	ˈslækə
slackest	ˈslækɪst	
slacken	ˈslækən	
slackens	ˈslækənz	
slackened	ˈslækənd	

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slackening	ˈslæknɪŋ, ˈslækn̩ɪŋ	
slackly	ˈslæklɪ	
slackness	ˈslæknɪs	
slam	slæm	
slams	slæmz	
slammed	slæmd	
slamming	ˈslæmɪŋ	
slander	ˈslɑːndə(r	ˈslaːndə
slanders	ˈslɑːndəz	ˈslaːndəz
slandered	ˈslɑːndəd	ˈslaːndəd
slandering	ˈslɑːndərɪŋ	ˈslaːndərɪŋ
slanderous	ˈslɑːndərəs	ˈslaːndərəs
slang	slæŋ	
slant	slɑːnt	slaːnt
slants	slɑːnts	slaːnts
slanted	ˈslɑːntɪd	ˈslaːntɪd
slanting	ˈslɑːntɪŋ	ˈslaːntɪŋ
slap	slæp	
slaps	slæps	
slapped	slæpt	
slapping	ˈslæpɪŋ	
slate	sleɪt	
slates	sleɪts	
slaughter	ˈslɔːtə(r	ˈslɔːtə
slave	sleɪv	
slaves	sleɪvz	
slavery	ˈsleɪvərɪ	
slavish	ˈsleɪvɪʃ	
slavishly	ˈsleɪvɪʃlɪ	
Slavonic	slə′vɒnɪk, slæ′vɒnɪk	slə′vɑnɪk, slæ′vɑnɪk
sledge	slɛʤ	
sledges	ˈslɛʤɪz	
sleep	sliːp	
sleeps	sliːps	
slept	slɛpt	
sleeping	ˈsliːpɪŋ	
sleeper	ˈsliːpə(r	ˈsliːpə
sleepers	ˈsliːpəz	ˈsliːpəz
sleepiness	ˈsliːpɪnɪs	
sleepless	ˈsliːplɪs	
sleeplessly	ˈsliːplɪslɪ	
sleeplessness	ˈśliːplɪsnɪs	
sleepy	ˈsliːpɪ	
sleeve	sliːv	
sleeves	sliːvz	
sleigh	sleɪ	
sleighs	sleɪz	

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slender	ˈslɛndə(r	ˈslɛndə
slenderness	ˈslɛndənɪs	ˈslɛndənɪs
SLEPT *from* sleep	slɛpt	
slice	slaɪs	
slices	ˈslaɪsɪz	
sliced	slaɪst	
slicing	ˈslaɪsɪŋ	
slide	slaɪd	
slides	slaɪdz	
slid	slɪd	
sliding	ˈslaɪdɪŋ	
slight	slaɪt	
slighter	ˈslaɪtə(r	ˈslaɪtə
slightest	ˈslaɪtɪst	
slightly	ˈslaɪtlɪ	
slip	slɪp	
slips	slɪps	
slipped	slɪpt	
slipping	ˈslɪpɪŋ	
slipper	ˈslɪpə(r	ˈslɪpə
slippers	ˈslɪpəz	ˈslɪpəz
slippery	ˈslɪpərɪ	
slit	slɪt	
slits	slɪts	
slitting	ˈslɪtɪŋ	
slope	sloʊp	
slopes	sloʊps	
sloped	sloʊpt	
sloping	ˈsloʊpɪŋ	
slot	slɒt	slɑt
slots	slɒts	slɑts
sloven	ˈslʌvn̩	
slovenliness	ˈslʌvn̩lɪnɪs	
slovenly	ˈslʌvn̩lɪ	
slow	sloʊ	
slows	sloʊz	
slowed	sloʊd	
slowing	ˈsloʊɪŋ	
slower	ˈsloʊə(r	ˈsloʊə
slowest	ˈsloʊɪst	
slowly	ˈsloʊlɪ	
slowness	ˈsloʊnɪs	
slum	slʌm	
slums	slʌmz	
sly	slaɪ	
slyer	ˈslaɪə(r	ˈslaɪə
slyest	ˈslaɪɪst	

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slyly	ˈslaɪlɪ	
slyness	ˈslaɪnɪs	
smack	smæk	
smacks	smæks	
smacked	smækt	
smacking	ˈsmækɪŋ	
small	smɔˑl	
smaller	ˈsmɔˑlə(r	ˈsmɔˑlə
smallest	ˈsmɔˑlɪst	
smallish	ˈsmɔˑlɪʃ	
smallness	ˈsmɔˑlnɪs	
smart	smɑˑt	smɑət
smarts	smɑˑts	smɑəts
smarted	ˈsmɑˑtɪd	ˈsmɑətɪd
smarting	ˈsmɑˑtɪŋ	ˈsmɑətɪŋ
smarter	ˈsmɑˑtə(r	ˈsmɑətə
smartest	ˈsmɑˑtɪst	ˈsmɑətɪst
smartly	ˈsmɑˑtlɪ	ˈsmɑətlɪ
smartness	ˈsmɑˑtnɪs	ˈsmɑətnɪs
smash	smæʃ	
smashes	ˈsmæʃɪz	
smashed	smæʃt	
smashing	ˈsmæʃɪŋ	
smattering	ˈsmætərɪŋ	
smell	smɛl	
smells	smɛlz	
smelt	smɛlt	
smelling	ˈsmɛlɪŋ	
smelly	ˈsmɛlɪ	
smile	smaɪl	
smiles	smaɪlz	
smiled	smaɪld	
smiling	ˈsmaɪlɪŋ	
smoke	smoʊk	
smokes	smoʊks	
smoked	smoʊkt	
smoking	ˈsmoʊkɪŋ	
smoker	ˈsmoʊkə(r	ˈsmoʊkə
smokers	ˈsmoʊkəz	ˈsmoʊkəz
smoky	ˈsmoʊkɪ	
smooth	smuˑð	
smoother	ˈsmuˑðə(r	ˈsmuˑðə
smoothest	ˈsmuˑðɪst	
smooth(e)	smuˑð	
smoothes	smuˑðz	
smoothed	smuˑðd	
smoothing	ˈsmuˑðɪŋ	

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smoothly	ˈsmuːðlɪ	
smoothness	ˈsmuːðnɪs	
smother	ˈsmʌðə(r	ˈsmʌðə
smothers	ˈsmʌðəz	ˈsmʌðəz
smothered	ˈsmʌðəd	ˈsmʌðəd
smothering	ˈsmʌðərɪŋ	
smuggle	ˈsmʌgl̩	
smuggles	ˈsmʌgl̩z	
smuggled	ˈsmʌgl̩d	
smuggling	ˈsmʌglɪŋ, ˈsmʌgl̩ɪŋ	
smuggler	ˈsmʌglə(r	ˈsmʌglə
smugglers	ˈsmʌgləz	ˈsmʌgləz
snake	sneɪk	
snakes	sneɪks	
snap	snæp	
snaps	snæps	
snapped	snæpt	
snapping	ˈsnæpɪŋ	
snapshot	ˈsnæpˈʃɒt	ˈsnæpˈʃɑt
snapshots	ˈsnæpˈʃɒts	ˈsnæpˈʃɑts
snatch	snætʃ	
snatches	ˈsnætʃɪz	
snatched	snætʃt	
snatching	ˈsnætʃɪŋ	
sneer	snɪə(r	snɪə
sneers	snɪəz	snɪəz
sneered	snɪəd	snɪəd
sneering	ˈsnɪərɪŋ	ˈsnɪˈrɪŋ
sneeringly	ˈsnɪərɪŋlɪ	ˈsnɪˈrɪŋlɪ
sneeze	sniːz	
sneezes	ˈsniːzɪz	
sneezed	sniːzd	
sneezing	ˈsniːzɪŋ	
snow	snoʊ	
snows	snoʊz	
snowed	snoʊd	
snowing	ˈsnoʊɪŋ	
snowy	ˈsnoʊɪ	
snug	snʌg	
snugly	ˈsnʌglɪ	
so	soʊ *s.f.*, sə *w.f.*	
soak	soʊk	
soaks	soʊks	
soaked	soʊkt	
soaking	ˈsoʊkɪŋ	
so-and-so	ˈsoʊənsoʊ	
soap	soʊp	

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soaps	soʊps	
soaped	soʊpt	
soaping	ˈsoʊpɪŋ	
soapy	ˈsoʊpɪ	
sob	sɒb	sɑb
sobs	sɒbz	sɑbz
sobbed	sɒbd	sɑbd
sobbing	ˈsɒbɪŋ	ˈsɑbɪŋ
sober	ˈsoʊbə(r	ˈsoʊbə
soberly	ˈsoʊbəlɪ	ˈsoʊbəlɪ
soberness	ˈsoʊbənɪs	ˈsoʊbənɪs
so-called	ˈsoʊˈkɔːld	
sociable	ˈsoʊʃəbḷ	
sociably	ˈsoʊʃəblɪ	
social	ˈsoʊʃəl	
socialism	ˈsoʊʃəlɪzṃ	
socialist	ˈsoʊʃəlɪst	
socialists	ˈsoʊʃəlɪsts	
socialistic	soʊʃəˈlɪstɪk	
socially	ˈsoʊʃəlɪ	
society	†səˈsaɪətɪ	
societies	†səˈsaɪətɪz	
sociology	soʊsɪˈɒləʤɪ	soʊsɪˈaləʤɪ
sock	sɒk	sɑk
socks	sɒks	sɑks
soda	ˈsoʊdə	
sofa	ˈsoʊfə	
sofas	ˈsoʊfəz	
soft	sɔft, sɒft	
softer	ˈsɔftə(r, ˈsɒftə(r	ˈsɔftə, ˈsɒftə
softest	ˈsɔftɪst, ˈsɒftɪst	
soften	ˈsɔfṇ, ˈsɒfṇ	
softens	ˈsɔfṇz, ˈsɒfṇz	
softened	ˈsɔfṇd, ˈsɒfṇd	
softening	ˈsɔfnɪŋ, ˈsɒfnɪŋ	
softly	ˈsɔftlɪ, ˈsɒftlɪ	
softness	ˈsɔftnɪs, ˈsɒftnɪs	
soil	sɔɪl	
soils	sɔɪlz	
soiled	sɔɪld	
soiling	ˈsɔɪlɪŋ	
solar	ˈsoʊlə(r	ˈsoʊlə
SOLD *from* sell	soʊld	
soldier	ˈsoʊlʤə(r	ˈsoʊlʤə
soldiers	ˈsoʊlʤəz	ˈsoʊlʤəz
sole	soʊl	
soles	soʊlz	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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solely	ˈsoullɪ	
solemn	ˈsɒləm	ˈsɑləm
solemnly	ˈsɒləmlɪ	ˈsɑləmlɪ
solicitor	†səˈlɪsɪtə(r	səˈlɪsɪtə
solicitors	†səˈlɪsɪtəz	səˈlɪsɪtəz
solid	ˈsɒlɪd	ˈsɑlɪd
solids	ˈsɒlɪdz	ˈsɑlɪdz
solidly	ˈsɒlɪdlɪ	ˈsɑlɪdlɪ
solidity	†səˈlɪdɪtɪ	
solitary	ˈsɒlɪtərɪ	ˈsɑlɪtɛrɪ
solo	ˈsoulou	
solos	ˈsoulouz	
soluble	ˈsɒljubḷ	ˈsɑljubḷ
solution	†səˈluˈʃn̩, †səˈljuˈʃn̩	
solutions	†səˈluˈʃn̩z, †səˈljuˈʃn̩z	
solve	sɒlv	sɑlv
solves	sɒlvz	sɑlvz
solved	sɒlvd	sɑlvd
solving	ˈsɒlvɪŋ	ˈsɑlvɪŋ
some	sʌm *s.f.*, səm *w.f.*	
somehow	ˈsʌmhau	
something	ˈsʌmθɪŋ	
sometimes	ˈsʌmtaɪmz səmˈtaɪmz	
somewhat	ˈsʌm*h*wɒt	ˈsʌmhwɑt
somewhere	ˈsʌm*h*wɛə(r	ˈsʌmhwɛə
son	sʌn	
sons	sʌnz	
song	sɒŋ	sɑɪŋ
songs	sɒŋz	sɑŋz
soon	suˈn	
soothe	suˈð	
soothes	suˈðz	
soothed	suˈðd	
soothing	ˈsuˈðɪŋ	
soothingly	ˈsuˈðɪŋlɪ	
sophomore	ˈsɒfəmɔ(r, ˈsɒfəmɔə(r	ˈsɑfəmoə
sophomores	ˈsɒfəmɔz, ˈsɒfəmɔəz	ˈsɑfəmoəz
soprano	†səˈprɑˈnou	səˈprɑˈnou
sore	sɔˈ(r, sɔə(r	soə
sores	sɔˈz, sɔəz	soəz
sorely	ˈsɔˈlɪ, ˈsɔəlɪ	ˈsoəlɪ
soreness	ˈsɔˈnɪs, ˈsɔənɪs	ˈsoənɪs
sorrow	ˈsɒrou	ˈsɑrou
sorrows	ˈsɒrouz	ˈsɑrouz

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

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sorrowful	†ˈsɒrəʊful	ˈsɑrəful
sorry	ˈsɒrɪ	ˈsɑrɪ
sort	sɔːt	sɔət
sorts	sɔːts	sɔəts
sorted	ˈsɔːtɪd	ˈsɔətɪd
sorting	ˈsɔːtɪŋ	ˈsɔətɪŋ
soul	soʊl	
souls	soʊlz	
sound	saʊnd	
sounds	saʊndz	
sounded	ˈsaʊndɪd	
sounding	ˈsaʊndɪŋ	
soundly	ˈsaʊndlɪ	
soundness	ˈsaʊndnɪs	
soup	suːp	
sour	ˈsaʊə(r	ˈsaʊə
source	sɔːs, sɔəs	soəs
sources	ˈsɔːsɪz, ˈsɔəsɪz	ˈsoəsɪz
sourly	ˈsaʊəlɪ	ˈsaʊəlɪ
sourness	ˈsaʊənɪs	ˈsaʊənɪs
south	saʊθ	
southerly	ˈsʌðəlɪ	ˈsʌðəlɪ
southern	ˈsʌðən	ˈsʌðən
south-west	ˈsaʊθˈwɛst	
souvenir	ˈsuːvənɪə(r	ˈsuːvənɪə
souvenirs	ˈsuːvənɪəz	ˈsuːvənɪəz
sovereign	ˈsɒvrɪn	ˈsɑvrɪn
sovereigns	ˈsɒvrɪnz	ˈsɑvrɪnz
sow	soʊ	
sows	soʊz	
sowed	soʊd	
sown	soʊn	
sowing	ˈsoʊɪŋ	
space	speɪs	
spaces	ˈspeɪsɪz	
spaced	speɪst	
spacing	ˈspeɪsɪŋ	
spade	speɪd	
spades	speɪdz	
Spain	speɪn	
Spaniard	ˈspænjəd	ˈspænjəd
Spaniards	ˈspænjədz	ˈspænjədz
Spanish	ˈspænɪʃ	
spare	spɛə(r	spɛə
spares	spɛəz	spɛəz

† See Note 30, p. xxxv. in Introduction.

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
spared	spɛəd	spɛəd
sparing	ˈspɛərɪŋ	ˈspɛˑrɪŋ
sparingly	ˈspɛərɪŋlɪ	ˈspɛˑrɪŋlɪ
spark	spɑˑk	spɑək
sparks	spɑˑks	spɑəks
sparrow	ˈspærou	
sparrows	ˈspærouz	
SPAT *from* spit	spæt	
speak	spiˑk	
speaks	spiˑks	
spoke	spouk	
spoken	ˈspoukən	
speaking	ˈspiˑkɪŋ	
speaker	ˈspiˑkə(r	ˈspiˑkə
speakers	ˈspiˑkəz	ˈspiˑkəz
spear	ˈspɪə(r	ˈspɪə
spears	ˈspɪəz	ˈspɪəz
special	ˈspɛʃəl	
specialist	ˈspɛʃəlɪst	
specialists	ˈspɛʃəlɪsts	
speciality	spɛʃɪˈælɪtɪ	
specialities	spɛʃɪˈælɪtɪz	
specialize	ˈspɛʃəlaɪz	
specializes	ˈspɛʃəlaɪzɪz	
specialized	ˈspɛʃəlaɪzd	
specializing	ˈspɛʃəlaɪzɪŋ	
specially	ˈspɛʃəlɪ	
specialty	ˈspɛʃəltɪ	
specialties	ˈspɛʃəltɪz	
species	ˈspiˑʃiz, ˈspiˑʃɪz	
specific	spɪˈsɪfɪk	
specifically	spɪˈsɪfɪkəlɪ	
specify	ˈspɛsɪfaɪ	
specifies	ˈspɛsɪfaɪz	
specified	ˈspɛsɪfaɪd	
specifying	ˈspɛsɪfaɪɪŋ	
specimen	ˈspɛsɪmən, ˈspɛsɪmɪn	
specimens	ˈspɛsɪmənz ˈspɛsɪmɪnz	
speck	spɛk	
specks	spɛks	
spectacle	ˈspɛktəkl̩, ˈspɛktɪkl̩	
spectacles	ˈspɛktəkl̩z ˈspɛktɪkl̩z	
spectator	spɛkˈteɪtə(r	spɛkˈteɪtə
spectators	spɛkˈteɪtəz	spɛkˈteɪtəz
speculate	ˈspɛkjuleɪt	

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speculates	ˈspɛkjuleɪts	
speculated	ˈspɛkjuleɪtɪd	
speculating	ˈspɛkjuleɪtɪŋ	
speculation	ˈspɛkjuˈleɪʃən	
speculations	spɛkjuˈleɪʃənz	
speculator	ˈspɛkjuleɪtə(r	ˈspɛkjuleɪtə
speculators	ˈspɛkjuleɪtəz	ˈspɛkjuleɪtəz
speech	spiˈtʃ	
speeches	ˈspiˈtʃɪz	
speechless	ˈspiˈtʃlɪs	
speed	spiˈd	
speeds	spiˈdz	
spell	spɛl	
spells	spɛlz	
spelled	spɛlt	
spelt	spɛlt	
spelling	ˈspɛlɪŋ	
spellings	ˈspɛlɪŋz	
spend	spɛnd	
spends	spɛndz	
spent	spɛnt	
spending	ˈspɛndɪŋ	
spendthrift	ˈspɛnd*θ*rɪft	
spendthrifts	ˈspɛnd*θ*rɪfts	
sphere	sfɪə(r	sfɪə
spheres	sfɪəz	sfɪəz
sphinx	sfɪŋks	
spice	spaɪs	
spices	ˈspaɪsɪz	
spider	ˈspaɪdə(r	ˈspaɪdə
spiders	ˈspaɪdəz	ˈspaɪdəz
spike	spaɪk	
spikes	spaɪks	
spill	spɪl	
spills	spɪlz	
spilled	spɪlt	
spilt	spɪlt	
spilling	ˈspɪlɪŋ	
spin	spɪn	
spins	spɪnz	
span	spæn	
spun	spʌn	
spinning	ˈspɪnɪŋ	
spine	spaɪn	
spiral	ˈspaɪərəl	
spirals	ˈspaɪərəlz	
spirally	ˈspaɪərəlɪ	

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spirit	ˈspɪrɪt	
spirits	ˈspɪrɪts	
spiritual	ˈspɪrɪtjʊəl, ˈspɪrɪtʃʊəl	
spiritually	ˈspɪrɪtjʊəlɪ, ˈspɪrɪtʃʊəlɪ	
spit	spɪt	
spits	spɪts	
spat	spæt	
spitting	ˈspɪtɪŋ	
spite	spaɪt	
spiteful	ˈspaɪtfʊl	
spitefully	ˈspaɪtfʊlɪ, ˈspaɪtfəlɪ	
splash	splæʃ	
splashes	ˈsplæʃɪz	
splashed	splæʃt	
splashing	ˈsplæʃɪŋ	
splendid	ˈsplɛndɪd	
splendidly	ˈsplɛndɪdlɪ	
split	splɪt	
splits	splɪts	
splitting	ˈsplɪtɪŋ	
spoil	spɔɪl	
spoils	spɔɪlz	
spoiled	spɔɪlt, spɔɪld	
spoilt	spɔɪlt	
spoiling	ˈspɔɪlɪŋ	
SPOKE *from* speak	spoʊk	
SPOKEN *from* speak	ˈspoʊkən	
sponge	spʌnʤ	
sponges	ˈspʌnʤɪz	
spontaneous	spɒnˈteɪnjəs	spɑnˈteɪnjəs
spontaneously	spɒnˈteɪnjəslɪ	spɑnˈteɪnjəslɪ
spoon	spuːn	
spoons	spuːnz	
spoonful	ˈspuːnfʊl	
spoonfuls	ˈspuːnfʊlz	
sport	spɔːt	spoət
sports	spɔːts	spoəts
sporting	ˈspɔːtɪŋ	ˈspoətɪŋ
sportsman	ˈspɔːtsmən	ˈspoətsmən
sportsmen	ˈspɔːtsmən	ˈspoətsmən
spot	spɒt	spɑt
spots	spɒts	spɑts
spotted	ˈspɒtɪd	ˈspɑtɪd
spotting	ˈspɒtɪŋ	ˈspɑtɪŋ
spout	spaʊt	
spouts	spaʊts	
sprain	spreɪn	

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sprains	spreɪnz	
sprained	spreɪnd	
spraining	ˈspreɪnɪŋ	
SPRANG *from* spring	spræŋ	
spray	spreɪ	
sprays	spreɪz	
sprayed	spreɪd	
spraying	ˈspreɪɪŋ	
spread	sprɛd	
spreads	sprɛdz	
spreading	ˈsprɛdɪŋ	
spring	sprɪŋ	
springs	sprɪŋz	
sprang	spræŋ	
sprung	sprʌŋ	
springing	ˈsprɪŋɪŋ	
sprinkle	ˈsprɪŋkl̩	
sprinkles	ˈsprɪŋkl̩z	
sprinkled	ˈsprɪŋkl̩d	
sprinkling	ˈsprɪŋklɪŋ	
SPRUNG *from* spring	sprʌŋ	
SPUN *from* spin	spʌn	
spur	spɜˑ(r	spɜə
spurs	spɜˑz	spɜəz
spurred	spɜˑd	spɜəd
spurring	ˈspɜˑrɪŋ	
spurt	spɜˑt	spɜət
spurts	spɜˑts	spɜəts
spurted	ˈspɜˑtɪd	ˈspɜətɪd
spurting	ˈspɜˑtɪŋ	ˈspɜətɪŋ
spy	spaɪ	
spies	spaɪz	
spied	spaɪd	
spying	ˈspaɪɪŋ	
squadron	ˈskwɒdrən	ˈskwɑdrən
squadrons	ˈskwɒdrənz	ˈskwɑdrənz
squander	ˈskwɒndə(r	ˈskwɑndə
squanders	ˈskwɒndəz	ˈskwɑndəz
squandered	ˈskwɒndəd	ˈskwɑndəd
squandering	ˈskwɒndərɪŋ	
square	skwɛə(r	skwɛə
squares	skwɛəz	skwɛəz
squarely	ˈskwɛəlɪ	ˈskwɛəlɪ
squeeze	skwiˑz	
squeezes	ˈskwiˑzɪz	
squeezed	skwiˑzd	
squeezing	ˈskwiˑzɪŋ	

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squint	skwɪnt	
squints	skwɪnts	
squinted	ˈskwɪntɪd	
squinting	ˈskwɪntɪŋ	
St. (=Saint)	sənt	
stability	stəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
stable	steɪbḷ	
stables	steɪbḷz	
stack	stæk	
stacks	stæks	
stacked	stækt	
stacking	ˈstækɪŋ	
staff	stɑˈf	stɑˈf
staffs	stɑˈfs	stɑˈfs
stage	steɪʤ	
stages	ˈsteɪʤɪz	
stain	steɪn	
stains	steɪnz	
stained	steɪnd	
staining	ˈsteɪnɪŋ	
stair	stɛə(r	stɛə
stairs	stɛəz	stɛəz
staircase	ˈstɛəkeɪs	ˈstɛəkeɪs
staircases	ˈstɛəkeɪsɪz	ˈstɛəkeɪsɪz
stale	steɪl	
stale ness	ˈsteɪlnɪs	
stalk	stɔˈk	
stalks	stɔˈks	
stall	stɔˈl	
stalls	stɔˈlz	
stamp	stæmp	
stamps	stæmps	
stamped	stæmpt	
stamping	ˈstæmpɪŋ	
stand	stænd	
stands	stændz	
stood	stʊd	
standing	ˈstændɪŋ	
standard	ˈstændəd	ˈstændəd
standards	ˈstændədz	ˈstændədz
standstill	ˈstændstɪl	
STANK *from* stink	stæŋk	
star	stɑˈ(r	stɑə
stars	stɑˈz	stɑəz
starch	stɑˈʧ	stɑəʧ
stare	stɛə(r	stɛə
stares	stɛəz	stɛəz

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stared	stɛəd	stɛəd
staring	ˈstɛərɪŋ	ˈstɛˑrɪŋ
starlight	ˈstɑˑlaɪt	ˈstɑəlaɪt
start	stɑˑt	stɑət
starts	stɑˑts	stɑəts
started	ˈstɑˑtɪd	ˈstɑətɪd
starting	ˈstɑˑtɪŋ	ˈstɑətɪŋ
startle	ˈstɑˑtl̩	ˈstɑətl̩
startles	ˈstɑˑtl̩z	ˈstɑətl̩z
startled	ˈstɑˑtl̩d	ˈstɑətl̩d
startling	ˈstɑˑtlɪŋ	ˈstɑətlɪŋ
starvation	stɑˈveɪʃən	stɑəˈveɪʃən
starve	stɑˑv	stɑəv
starves	stɑˑvz	stɑəvz
starved	stɑˑvd	stɑəvd
starving	ˈstɑˑvɪŋ	ˈstɑəvɪŋ
state	steɪt	
states	steɪts	
stated	ˈsteɪtɪd	
stating	ˈsteɪtɪŋ	
statement	ˈsteɪtmənt	
statements	ˈsteɪtmənts	
stately	ˈsteɪtlɪ	
statesman	ˈsteɪtsmən	
statesmen	ˈsteɪtsmən	
station	ˈsteɪʃən	
stations	ˈsteɪʃənz	
stationed	ˈsteɪʃənd	
stationing	ˈsteɪʃənɪŋ	
stationary	ˈsteɪʃənərɪ	ˈsteɪʃənɛrɪ
stationer	ˈsteɪʃənə(r	ˈsteɪʃnə
stationers	ˈsteɪʃənəz	ˈsteɪʃnəz
stationery	ˈsteɪʃn̩ərɪ	ˈsteɪʃənɛrɪ
statistics	stəˈtɪstɪks, stæˈtɪstɪks	
statue	ˈstætju	
statues	ˈstætjuz	
stay	steɪ	
stays	steɪz	
stayed	steɪd	
staying	ˈsteɪɪŋ	
steady	ˈstɛdɪ	
steadies	ˈstɛdɪz	
steadied	ˈstɛdɪd	
steadying	ˈstɛdɪŋ	
steadier	ˈstɛdɪə(r	ˈstɛdɪə
steadiest	ˈstɛdɪst	
steadily	ˈstɛdɪlɪ	

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steadiness	ˈstɛdɪnɪs	
steak	steɪk	
steaks	steɪks	
steal	stiˑl	
steals	stiˑlz	
stole	stoʊl	
stolen	ˈstoʊlən	
stealing	ˈstiˑlɪŋ	
steam	stiˑm	
steams	stiˑmz	
steamed	stiˑmd	
steaming	ˈstiˑmɪŋ	
steel	stiˑl	
steep	stiˑp	
steeper	ˈstiˑpə(r	ˈstiˑpə
steepest	ˈstiˑpɪst	
steeply	ˈstiˑplɪ	
steepness	ˈstiˑpnɪs	
steer	stɪə(r	stɪə
steers	stɪəz	stɪəz
steered	stɪəd	stɪəd
steering	ˈstɪərɪŋ	ˈstɪˑrɪŋ
stem	stɛm	
stems	stɛmz	
step	stɛp	
steps	stɛps	
stepped	stɛpt	
stepping	ˈstɛpɪŋ	
step-, *prefix*	stɛp	
Stephen	ˈstiˑvn̩	
stern	stəˑn	stɜən
sternly	ˈstəˑnlɪ	ˈstɜənlɪ
sternness	ˈstəˑnnɪs	ˈstɜənnɪs
steward	ˈstjuˑəd, stjuəd	ˈstjuˑəd
stewards	ˈstjuˑədz, stjuədz	ˈstjuˑədz
stick	stɪk	
sticks	stɪks	
stuck	stʌk	
sticking	ˈstɪkɪŋ	
sticky	ˈstɪkɪ	
stiff	stɪf	
stiffer	ˈstɪfə(r	ˈstɪfə
stiffest	ˈstɪfɪst	
stiffen	ˈstɪfn̩	
stiffens	ˈstɪfn̩z	
stiffened	ˈstɪfn̩d	
stiffening	ˈstɪfnɪŋ, ˈstɪfn̩ɪŋ	

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stiffly	ˈstɪflɪ	
stiffness	ˈstɪfnɪs	
stifle	ˈstaɪf|	
stifles	ˈstaɪf|z	
stifled	ˈstaɪf|d	
stifling	ˈstaɪflɪŋ	
still	stɪl	
stimulant	ˈstɪmjulənt	
stimulants	ˈstɪmjulənts	
stimulate	ˈstɪmjuleɪt	
stimulates	ˈstɪmjuleɪts	
stimulated	ˈstɪmjuleɪtɪd	
stimulating	ˈstɪmjuleɪtɪŋ	
stimulation	stɪmjuˈleɪʃən	
stimulus	ˈstɪmjuləs	
stimuli	ˈstɪmjulaɪ	
sting	stɪŋ	
stings	stɪŋz	
stung	stʌŋ	
stinging	ˈstɪŋɪŋ	
stink	stɪŋk	
stinks	stɪŋks	
stank	ˈstæŋk	
stunk	stʌŋk	
stinking	ˈstɪŋkɪŋ	
stipulate	ˈstɪpjuleɪt	
stipulates	ˈstɪpjuleɪts	
stipulated	ˈstɪpjuleɪtɪd	
stipulating	ˈstɪpjuleɪtɪŋ	
stipulation	stɪpjuˈleɪʃən	
stipulations	stɪpjuˈleɪʃənz	
stir	stəˑ(r	stəə
stirs	stəˑz	stəəz
stirred	stəˑd	stəəd
stirring	ˈstəˑrɪŋ	
stirrup	ˈstɪrəp	ˈstərəp
stirrups	ˈstɪrəps	ˈstərəp.
stitch	stɪtʃ	
stiches	ˈstɪtʃɪz	
stock	stɒk	stɑk
stocks	stɒks	stɑks
Stockholm	ˈstɒkhoum	ˈstɑkhoum
stocking	ˈstɒkɪŋ	ˈstɑkɪŋ
stockings	ˈstɒkɪŋz	ˈstɑkɪŋz
stoker	ˈstoukə(r	ˈstoukə
stokers	ˈstoukəz	ˈstoukəz
STOLE *from* steal	stoul	

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stomach	ˈstʌmək	
stomachs	ˈstʌməks	
stone	stoʊn	
stones	stoʊnz	
stony	ˈstoʊnɪ	
STOOD *from* stand	stʊd	
stool	stuˈl	
stools	stuˈlz	
stoop	stuˈp	
stoops	stuˈps	
stooped	stuˈpt	
stooping	ˈstuˈpɪŋ	
stop	stɒp	stɑp
stops	stɒps	stɑps
stopped	stɒpt	stɑpt
stopping	ˈstɒpɪŋ	ˈstɑpɪŋ
stoppage	ˈstɒpɪʤ	ˈstɑpɪʤ
stoppages	ˈstɒpɪʤɪz	ˈstɑpɪʤɪz
stopper	ˈstɒpə(r	ˈstɑpə
stoppers	ˈstɒpəz	ˈstɑpəz
store	stɔˈ(r, stɔə(r	stoə
stores	stɔˈz, stɔəz	stoəz
stored	stɔˈd, stɔəd	stoəd
storing	ˈstɔˈrɪŋ, ˈstɔərɪŋ	ˈstoˈrɪŋ
storm	stɔˈm	stɔəm
storms	stɔˈmz	stɔəmz
stormed	stɔˈmd	stɔəmd
storming	ˈstɔˈmɪŋ	ˈstɔəmɪŋ
stormy	ˈstɔˈm	ˈstɔəm
story	ˈstɔˈrɪ	
stories	ˈstɔˈrɪz	
stout	staʊt	
stouter	ˈstaʊtə(r	ˈstaʊtə
stoutest	ˈstaʊtɪst	
stoutly	ˈstaʊtlɪ	
stove	stoʊv	
stoves	stoʊvz	
straight	streɪt	
straighter	ˈstreɪtə(r	ˈstreɪtə
straightest	ˈstreɪtɪst	
straighten	ˈstreɪtn̩	
straightens	ˈstreɪtn̩z	
straightened	ˈstreɪtn̩d	
straightening	ˈstreɪtnɪŋ	
straightforward	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˈwəd	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwəd
straightforwardly	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˈwədlɪ	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwədlɪ
straightforwardness	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˈwədnɪs	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwədnɪs

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straightness	ˈstreɪtnɪs	
strain	streɪn	
strains	streɪnz	
strained	streɪnd	
straining	ˈstreɪnɪŋ	
strait	streɪt	
straits	streɪts	
strand	strænd	
strands	strændz	
stranded	ˈstrændɪd	
stranding	ˈstrændɪŋ	
strange	streɪnʤ	
stranger	ˈstreɪnʤə(r	ˈstreɪnʤə
strangest	ˈstreɪnʤɪst	
stranger	ˈstreɪnʤə(r	
strangers	ˈstreɪnʤəz	
strangely	ˈstreɪnʤlɪ	
strangeness	ˈstreɪnʤnɪs	
strangle	ˈstræŋgl̩	
strangles	ˈstræŋgl̩z	
strangled	ˈstræŋgl̩d	
strangling	ˈstræŋglɪŋ	
strap	stræp	
straps	stræps	
strapped	stræpt	
strapping	ˈstræpɪŋ	
stratagem	ˈstrætɪʤɪm ˈstrætəʤəm	
stratagems	ˈstrætɪʤɪmz ˈstrætəʤəmz	
strategic	strəˈtiˑʤɪk strǽˈtiˑʤɪk	
strategically	strəˈtiˑʤɪkəlɪ strǽˈtiˑʤɪkəlɪ	
strategy	ˈstrætɪʤɪ	
straw	strɔˑ	
straws	strɔˑz	
strawberry	ˈstrɔˑbərɪ	ˈstrɔˑbɛrɪ
strawberries	ˈstrɔˑbərɪz	ˈstrɔˑbɛrɪz
stray	streɪ	
strays	streɪz	
strayed	streɪd	
straying	ˈstreɪɪŋ	
streak	striˑk	
streaks	striˑks	
stream	striˑm	
streams	striˑmz	

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streamed	stri·md	
streaming	ˈstri·mɪŋ	
street	stri·t	
streets	stri·ts	
strength	strɛŋkθ	
strengths	strɛŋkθs	
strengthen	ˈstrɛŋkθən	
strengthens	ˈstrɛŋkθənz	
strengthened	ˈstrɛŋkθənd	
strengthening	ˈstrɛŋkθənɪŋ	
strenuous	ˈstrɛnjʊəs	
strenuously	ˈstrɛnjʊəslɪ	
stress	strɛs	
stresses	ˈstrɛsɪz	
stressed	strɛst	
stressing	ˈstrɛsɪŋ	
stretch	strɛtʃ	
stretches	ˈstrɛtʃɪz	
stretched	strɛtʃt	
stretching	ˈstrɛtʃɪŋ	
strict	strɪkt	
stricter	ˈstrɪktə(r	ˈstrɪktə
strictest	ˈstrɪktɪst	
strictly	ˈstrɪktlɪ	
stride	straɪd	
strides	straɪdz	
strife	straɪf	
strike	straɪk	
strikes	straɪks	
struck	strʌk	
striking	ˈstraɪkɪŋ	
strikingly	ˈstraɪkɪŋlɪ	
string	strɪŋ	
strings	strɪŋz	
stringed	strɪŋd	
strung	strʌŋ	
stringing	ˈstrɪŋɪŋ	
strip	strɪp	
strips	strɪps	
stripped	strɪpt	
stripping	ˈstrɪpɪŋ	
stripe	straɪp	
stripes	straɪps	
striped	straɪpt	
striping	ˈstraɪpɪŋ	
strive	straɪv	
strives	straɪvz	

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strove	strouv	
striven	ˈstrɪvn̩	
striving	ˈstraɪvɪŋ	
stroke	strouk	
strokes	strouks	
stroked	stroukt	
stroking	ˈstroukɪŋ	
stroll	stroul	
strolls	stroulz	
strolled	strould	
strolling	ˈstroulɪŋ	
strong	strɒŋ	
stronger	ˈstrɒŋgə(r	ˈstrɒŋgə
strongest	ˈstrɒŋgɪst	
strongly	ˈstrɒŋlɪ	
STROVE *from* strive	strouv	
STRUCK *from* strike	strʌk	
structure	ˈstrʌktʃə(r	ˈstrʌktʃə
structures	ˈstrʌktʃəz	ˈstrʌktʃəz
struggle	ˈstrʌgl̩	
struggles	ˈstrʌgl̩z	
struggled	ˈstrʌgl̩d	
struggling	ˈstrʌglɪŋ, ˈstrʌgl̩ɪŋ	
STRUNG *from* string	strʌŋ	
stubborn	ˈstʌbən	ˈstʌbən
stubbornly	ˈstʌbənlɪ	ˈstʌbənlɪ
stubbornness	ˈstʌbənnɪs	ˈstʌbənnɪs
STUCK *from* stick	stʌk	
student	ˈstjuˌdənt	
students	ˈstjuˌdənts	
studious	ˈstjuˌdjəs, ˈstjuˌdɪəs	
study	ˈstʌdɪ	
studies	ˈstʌdɪz	
studied	ˈstʌdɪd	
studying	ˈstʌdɪɪŋ	
stuff	ˈstʌf	
stuffs	ˈstʌfs	
stuffed	ˈstʌft	
stuffing	ˈstʌfɪŋ	
stuffy	ˈstʌfɪ	
stumble	ˈstʌmbl̩	
stumbles	ˈstʌmbl̩z	
stumbled	ˈstʌmbl̩d	
stumbling	ˈstʌmblɪŋ	
stump	stʌmp	
stumps	stʌmps	
stun	stʌn	

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stuns	stʌnz	
stunned	stʌnd	
stunning	ˈstʌnɪŋ	
STUNG *from* sting	stʌŋ	
STUNK *from* stink	stʌŋk	
stupid	ˈstjuːpɪd, ˈstjuˑpɪd	
stupidity	stjuˈpɪdɪtɪ, stjuˈpɪdɪtɪ	
stupidly	ˈstjuːpɪdlɪ, ˈstjuˑpɪdlɪ	
stutter	ˈstʌtə(r	ˈstʌtə
stutters	ˈstʌtəz	ˈstʌtəz
stuttered	ˈstʌtəd	ˈstʌtəd
stuttering	ˈstʌtərɪŋ	
stutterer	ˈstʌtərə(r	ˈstʌtərə
stutterers	ˈstʌtərəz	ˈstʌtərəz
style	staɪl	
styles	staɪlz	
sub-, *prefix*	sʌb-, səb-	
subdivision	ˈsʌbdɪˈvɪʒən	
subdivisions	ˈsʌbdɪˈvɪʒənz	
subdued, *adj.*	səbˈdjuːd	
subject, *noun*	ˈsʌbʤɪkt	
subjects	ˈsʌbʤɪkts	
subject, *verb*	səbˈʤɛkt, ˈsʌbʤɪkt	
subjects	səbˈʤɛkts	
	ˈsʌbʤɪkts	
subjected	səbˈʤɛktɪd	
	ˈsʌbʤɪktɪd	
subjecting	səbˈʤɛktɪŋ	
	ˈsʌbʤɪktɪŋ	
subjective	səbˈʤɛktɪv	
	sʌbˈʤɛktɪv	
subjectively	səbˈʤɛktɪvlɪ	
	svbˈʤɛktɪvlɪ	
sublime	səˈblaɪm	
sublimely	səˈblaɪmlɪ	
submarine	ˈsʌbmərin	
submarines	ˈsʌbmərinz	
submission	səbˈmɪʃən	
submit	səbˈmɪt	
submits	səbˈmɪts	
submitted	səbˈmɪtɪd	
submitting	səbˈmɪtɪŋ	
subordinate, *noun*	səˈbɔːdənɪt	səˈbɔədənɪt
subordinates	səˈbɔːdənɪts	səˈbɔədənɪts
subordinate, *verb*	səˈbɔːdɪneɪt	səˈbɔədɪneɪt
subordinates	səˈbɔːdɪneɪts	səˈbɔədɪneɪts
subordinated	səˈbɔːdɪneɪtɪd	səˈbɔədɪneɪtɪd

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subordinating	sə'bɔ·dɪneɪtɪŋ	sə'bɔədɪneɪtɪŋ
subscribe	səb'skraɪb	
subscribes	səb'skraɪbz	
subscribed	səb'skraɪbd	
subscribing	səb'skraɪbɪŋ	
subscriber	səb'skraɪbə(r	səb'skraɪbə
subscribers	səb'skraɪbəz	səb'skraɪbəz
subscription	səb'skrɪpʃən	
subscriptions	səb'skrɪpʃənz	
subsequent	'sʌbsɪkwənt	
subsequently	'sʌbsɪkwəntlɪ	
subsidy	'sʌbsɪdɪ	
subsidies	'sʌbsɪdɪz	
substance	'sʌbstəns	
substances	'sʌbstənsɪz	
substantial	səb'stænʃəl	
substantially	səb'stænʃəlɪ	
substitute	'sʌbstɪtjut	
substitutes	'sʌbstɪtjuts	
substituted	'sʌbstɪtjutɪd	
substituting	'sʌbstɪtjutɪŋ	
substitution	sʌbstɪ'tju·ʃən	
substitutions	sʌbstɪ'tju·ʃənz	
subtle	'sʌt|l	
subtler	'sʌtlə(r	'sʌtlə
subtlest	'sʌtlɪst	
subtlety	'sʌt|lɪ	
subtleties	'sʌt|tɪz	
subtly	'sʌtlɪ	
subtract	səb'trækt	
subtracts	səb'trækts	
subtracted	səb'trækt ɪd	
subtracting	səb'trækt ɪŋ	
subtraction	səb'trækʃən	
subtractions	səb'trækʃənz	
suburb	'sʌbəb, 'sʌbəb	'sʌbəəb, 'sʌbəb
suburbs	'sʌbəbz, 'sʌbəbz	'sʌbəəbz, 'sʌbəbz
suburban	sə'bə·bən	sə'bəəbən
subway	'sʌbweɪ	
subways	'sʌbweɪz	
succeed	sək'si·d	
succeeds	sək'si·dz	
succeeded	sək'si·dɪd	
succeeding	sək'si·dɪŋ	aʊ
success	sək'sɛs	
successes	sək'sɛsɪz	
successful	sək'sɛsful	

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successfully	sək'sɛsfulɪ, sək'sɛsfəlɪ	
succession	sək'sɛʃən	
successive	sək'sɛsɪv	
successively	sək'sɛsɪvlɪ	
successor	sək'sɛsə(r	sək'sɛsə
successors	sək'sɛsəz	sək'sɛsəz
such	sʌtʃ, sətʃ	
such-and-such	'sʌtʃənsʌtʃ	
suck	sʌk	
sucks	sʌks	
sucked	sʌkt	
sucking	'sʌkɪŋ	
suction	'sʌkʃən	
sudden	'sʌdn̩	
suddenly	'sʌdn̩lɪ	
suddenness	'sʌdn̩nɪs	
Suez	'suˑɪz, 'sjuˑɪz	su'ɛz
suffer	'sʌfə(r	'sʌfə
suffers	'sʌfəz	'sʌfəz
suffered	'sʌfəd	'sʌfəd
suffering	'sʌfərɪŋ	
sufferer	'sʌfərə(r	'sʌfərə
sufferers	'sʌfərəz	'sʌfərəz
suffice	sə'faɪs	
suffices	sə'faɪsɪz	
sufficed	sə'faɪst	
sufficing	sə'faɪsɪŋ	
sufficient	sə'fɪʃənt	
sufficiently	sə'fɪʃəntlɪ	
suffix	'sʌfɪks	
suffixes	'sʌfɪksɪz	
suffocate	'sʌfəkeɪt	
suffocates	'sʌfəkeɪts	
suffocated	'sʌfəkeɪtɪd	
suffocating	'sʌfəkeɪtɪŋ	
suffocation	sʌfə'keɪʃən	
suffrage	'sʌfrɪʤ	
sugar	'ʃʊgə(r	'ʃʊgə
suggest	sə'ʤɛst	While Krapp states that [səg'ʤɛst], etc., is a purist affectation, Kenyon maintains that the alternative form [sə'ʤɛst] is very rare in Northern Ohio and probably in the North generally. Martin agrees with Kenyon.
suggests	sə'ʤɛsts	
suggested	sə'ʤɛstɪd	
suggesting	sə'ʤɛstɪŋ	
suggestion	sə'ʤɛstʃən	
suggestions	sə'ʤɛstʃənz	
suggestive	sə'ʤɛstɪv	
suicidal	sjuɪ'saɪdl̩	
suicide	'sjuɪsaɪd	

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suicides	ˈsjuɪsaɪdz	
suit	sjuˈt	
suits	sjuˈts	
suited	ˈsjuˈtɪd	
suiting	ˈsjuˈtɪŋ	
suitability	sjutəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
suitable	ˈsjuˈtəbl̩	
suitably	ˈsjuˈtəblɪ	
sulk	sʌlk	
sulks	sʌlks	
sulked	sʌlkt	
sulking	ˈsʌlkɪŋ	
sulkily	ˈsʌlkɪlɪ	
sulky	ˈsʌlkɪ	
sulphur	ˈsʌlfə(r	ˈsʌlfə
sultry	ˈsʌltrɪ	
sum	sʌm	
sums	sʌmz	
summed	sʌmd	
summing	ˈsʌmɪŋ	
summarize	ˈsʌməraɪz	
summarizes	ˈsʌməraɪzɪz	
summarized	ˈsʌməraɪzd	
summarizing	ˈsʌməraɪzɪŋ	
summary	ˈsʌmərɪ	
summaries	ˈsʌmərɪz	
summer	ˈsʌmə(r	ˈsʌmə
summers	ˈsʌməz	ˈsʌməz
summon	ˈsʌmən	
summons	ˈsʌmənz	
summoned	ˈsʌmənd	
summoning	ˈsʌmənɪŋ	
summons	ˈsʌmənz	
sun	sʌn	
suns	sʌnz	
sunburn	ˈsʌnbən	ˈsʌnbɜən
sunburnt	ˈsʌnbənt	ˈsʌnbɜənt
Sunday	ˈsʌndɪ	
Sundays	ˈsʌndɪz	
sundry	ˈsʌndrɪ	
SUNG *from* sing	sʌŋ	
SUNK *from* sink	sʌŋk	
sunlight	ˈsʌnlaɪt	
sunny	ˈsʌnɪ	
sunrise	ˈsʌnraɪz	
sunset	ˈsʌnsɛt	
sunshine	ˈsʌnʃaɪn	

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super-, *prefix*	ˈsjuːpə(r	ˈsjuːpə
superb	sjuˈpɜːb	sjuˈpɜəb
supercilious	sjupəˈsɪlɪəs	sjupəˈsɪlɪəs
superficial	sjupəˈfɪʃəl	sjupəˈfɪʃəl
superficially	sjupəˈfɪʃəlɪ	sjupəˈfɪʃəlɪ
superfluous	sjuˈpɜːfluəs	sjuˈpɜəfluəs
superfluously	sjuˈpɜːfluəslɪ	sjuˈpɜəfluəslɪ
superintend	sjupərɪnˈtɛnd	
superintends	sjupərɪnˈtɛndz	
superintended	sjupərɪnˈtɛndɪd	
superintending	sjupərɪnˈtɛndɪŋ	
superior	sjuˈpɪərɪə(r	sjuˈpɪːrɪə
superiors	sjuˈpɪərɪəz	sjuˈpɪːrɪəz
superiority	sjupɪərɪˈɒrɪtɪ	sjupɪːrɪˈɒrɪtɪ
superlative	sjuˈpɜːlətɪv	sjuˈpɜələtɪv
supersede	sjupəˈsiːd	sjupəˈsiːd
supersedes	sjupəˈsiːdz	sjupəˈsiːdz
superdeded	sjupəˈsiːdɪd	sjupəˈsiːdɪd
superseding	sjupəˈsiːdɪŋ	sjupəˈsiːdɪŋ
superstition	sjupəˈstɪʃən	sjupəˈstɪʃən
superstitions	sjupəˈstɪʃənz	sjupəˈstɪʃənz
superstitious	sjupəˈstɪʃəs	sjupəˈstɪʃəs
supervise	ˈsjuːpəvaɪz	ˈsjuːpəvaɪz
	sjupəˈvaɪz	sjupəˈvaɪz
supervises	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪz	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪz
	sjupəˈvaɪzɪz	sjupəˈvaɪzɪz
supervised	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzd	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzd
	sjupəˈvaɪzd	sjupəˈvaɪzd
supervising	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪŋ	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪŋ
	sjupəˈvaɪzɪŋ	sjupəˈvaɪzɪŋ
supper	ˈsʌpə(r	ˈsʌpə
suppers	ˈsʌpəz	ˈsʌpəz
supplement, *noun*	ˈsʌplɪmənt	
supplements	ˈsʌplɪmənts	
supplement, *verb*	ˈsʌplɪmɛnt	
supplements	ˈsʌplɪmɛnts	
supplemented	ˈsʌplɪmɛntɪd	
supplementing	ˈsʌplɪmɛntɪŋ	
supply	səˈplaɪ	
supplies	səˈplaɪz	
supplied	səˈplaɪd	
supplying	səˈplaɪɪŋ	
support	səˈpɔːt	səˈpoət
supports	səˈpɔːts	səˈpoəts
supported	səˈpɔːtɪd	səˈpoətɪd
supporting	səˈpɔːtɪŋ	səˈpoətɪŋ
supporter	səˈpɔːtə(r	səˈpoətə

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supporters	sə'pɔːtəz	sə'poətəz
suppose	sə'pouz	
supposes	sə'pouzɪz	
supposed	sə'pouzd	
supposing	sə'pouzɪŋ	
supposition	sʌpə'zɪʃən	
suppositions	sʌpə'zɪʃənz	
suppress	sə'prɛs	
suppresses	sə'prɛsɪz	
suppressed	sə'prɛst	
suppressing	sə'prɛsɪŋ	
suppression	sə'prɛʃən	
suppressions	sə'prɛʃənz	
supremacy	sju'prɛməsɪ	
supremacies	sju'prɛ̈məsɪz	
supreme	sju'priːm	
supremely	sju'priːmlɪ	
sure	ʃuə(r, ʃɔə(r	ʃuə
surer	'ʃuərə(r, 'ʃɔərə(r	'ʃuːrə
surest	'ʃuərɪst, 'ʃɔərɪst	'ʃuːrɪst
surely	'ʃuəlɪ, 'ʃɔəlɪ	'ʃuəlɪ
sureness	'ʃuənɪs, 'ʃɔənɪs	'ʃuənɪs
surf	səːf	səəf
surface	'səːfɪs	'səəfɪs
surfaces	'səːfɪsɪz	'səəfɪsɪz
surgeon	'səːʤən	'səəʤən
surgeons	'səːʤənz	'səəʤənz
surgery	'səːʤərɪ	'səəʤərɪ
surgical	'səːʤɪkəl	'səəʤɪkəl
surgically	'səːʤɪkəlɪ	'səəʤɪkəlɪ
surly	'səːlɪ	'səəlɪ
surmise	sə'maɪz, 'səːmaɪz	səə'maɪz, 'səəmaɪz
surmises	sə'maɪzɪz, 'səːmaɪzɪz	səə'maɪzɪz. . . .
surname	'səːneɪm	'səəneɪm
surnames	'səːneɪmz	'səəneɪmz
surpass	sə'pɑːs, sə'pɑːs	səə'pːas, sə'paːs
surpasses	sə'pɑːsɪz, sə'pɑːsɪz	səə'paːsɪz, sə'paːsɪz
surpassed	sə'pɑːst, sə'pɑːst	səə'paːst, sə'paːst
surpassing	sə'pɑːsɪŋ, sə'pɑːsɪŋ	səə'paːsɪŋ, sə'paːsɪŋ
surplus	'səːpləs	'səəpləs
surpluses	'səːpləsɪz	'səəpləsɪz
surprise	sə'praɪz	sə'praɪz
surprises	sə'praɪzɪz	sə'praɪzɪz
surprised	sə'praɪzd	sə'praɪzd
surprising	sə'praɪzɪŋ	sə'praɪzɪŋ
surprisingly	sə'praɪzɪŋlɪ	sə'praɪzɪŋlɪ
surrender	sə'rɛndə(r	sə'rɛndə

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surrenders	sə′rɛndəz	sə′rɛndəz
surrendered	sə′rɛndəd	sə′rɛndəd
surrendering	sə′rɛndəruŋ	
surround	sə′raʊnd	
surrounds	sə′raʊndz	
surrounded	sə′raʊndɪd	
surrounding	sə′raʊndɪŋ	
surroundings	sə′raʊndɪŋz	
survey, *noun*	′sɜ·veɪ, sɜ′veɪ	′sɜəveɪ, sɜə′veɪ
surveys	′sɜ·veɪz, sɜ′veɪz	′sɜəveɪz, sɜə′veɪz
survey, *verb*	sɜ′veɪ	sɜə′veɪ
surveys	sɜ′veɪz	sɜə′veɪz
surveyed	sɜ′veɪd	sɜə′veɪd
surveying	sɜ′veɪuŋ	sɜə′veɪuŋ
surveyor	sɜ′veɪə(r	sɜə′veɪə
surveyors	sɜ′veɪəz	sɜə′veɪəz
survive	sɜ′vaɪv, sə′vaɪv	sɜə′vaɪv, sə′vaɪv
survives	sɜ′vaɪvz, sə′vaɪvz	sɜə′vaɪvz, sə′vaɪvz
survived	sɜ′vaɪvd, sə′vaɪvd	sɜə′vaɪvd, sə′vaɪvd
surviving	sɜ′vaɪvɪŋ, sə′vaɪvɪŋ	sɜə′vaɪvɪŋ, sə′vaɪvɪŋ
survival	sɜ′vaɪvəl, sə′vaɪvəl	sɜə′vaɪvəl, sə′vaɪvəl
survivals	sɜ′vaɪvəlz	sɜə′vaɪvəlz
	sə′vaɪvəlz	sə′vaɪvəlz
survivor	sɜ′vaɪvə(r, sə′vaɪvə(r	sɜə′vaɪvə, sə′vaɪvə
survivors	sɜ′vaɪvəz, sə′vaɪvəz	sɜə′vaɪvəz, sə′vaɪvəz
Susan	′su·zn̩	
susceptibility	səsɛptɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
susceptible	sə′sɛptɪbl̩	
suspect, *noun*	′sʌspɛkt	
suspects	′sʌspɛkts	
suspect, *verb*	səs′pɛkt	
suspects	səs′pɛkts	
suspected	səs′pɛktɪd	
suspecting	səs′pɛktɪŋ	
suspend	səs′pɛnd	
suspends	səs′pɛndz	
suspended	səs′pɛndɪd	
suspending	səs′pɛndɪŋ	
suspense	səs′pɛns	
suspension	səs′pɛnʃən	
suspicion	səs′pɪʃən	
suspicions	səs′pɪʃənz	
suspicious	səs′pɪʃəs	
suspiciously	səs′pɪʃəslɪ	
sustain	səs′teɪn	
sustains	səs′teɪnz	
sustained	səs′teɪnd	

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sustaining	səs'teɪnɪŋ	
swallow	'swɒloʊ	'swɑloʊ
swallows	'swɒloʊz	'swɑloʊz
swallowed	'swɒloʊd	'swɑloʊd
swallowing	'swɒloʊɪŋ	'swɑloʊɪŋ
SWAM *from* swim	swæm	
swamp	swɒmp	swɑmp
swamps	swɒmps	swɑmps
swamped	swɒmpt	swɑmpt
swamping	'swɒmpɪŋ	'swɑmpɪŋ
swan	swɒn	swɑn
swans	swɒnz	swɑnz
swarm	swɔ'm	swɔəm
swarms	swɔ'mz	swɔəmz
swarmed	swɔ'md	swɔəmd
swarming	'swɔ'mɪŋ	'swɔəmɪŋ
sway	sweɪ	
sways	sweɪz	
swayed	sweɪd	
swaying	'sweɪɪŋ	
swear	swɛə(r	swɛə
swears	swɛəz	swɛəz
swore	swɔ'(r, swɔə(r	swoə
sworn	swɔ'n	swoən
swearing	'swɛərɪŋ	'swɛ'rɪŋ
sweat	swɛt	
sweats	swɛts	
sweated	'swɛtɪd	
sweating	'swɛtɪŋ	
Swede	swi'd	
Swedes	swi'dz	
Sweden	'swi'dn̩	
Swedish	'swi'dɪʃ	
sweep	swi'p	
sweeps	swi'ps	
swept	swɛpt	
sweeping	'swi'pɪŋ	
sweet	swi't	
sweets	swi'ts	
sweeter	'swi'tə(r	'swi'tə
sweetest	'swi'tɪst	
sweeten	'swi'tn̩	
sweetens	'swi'tn̩z	
sweetened	'swi'tn̩d	
sweetening	'swi'tnɪŋ, 'swi'tn̩ɪŋ	
sweetly	'swi'tlɪ	
sweetness	'swi'tnɪs	

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squint	skwɪnt	
squints	skwɪnts	
squinted	ˈskwɪntɪd	
squinting	ˈskwɪntɪŋ	
St. (=Saint)	sənt	
stability	stəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
stable	steɪbḷ	
stables	steɪbḷz	
stack	stæk	
stacks	stæks	
stacked	stækt	
stacking	ˈstækɪŋ	
staff	stɑˈf	stɑˈf
staffs	stɑˈfs	stɑˈfs
stage	steɪʤ	
stages	ˈsteɪʤɪz	
stain	steɪn	
stains	steɪnz	
stained	steɪnd	
staining	ˈsteɪnɪŋ	
stair	stɛə(r	stɛə
stairs	stɛəz	stɛəz
staircase	ˈstɛəkeɪs	ˈstɛəkeɪs
staircases	ˈstɛəkeɪsɪz	ˈstɛəkeɪsɪz
stale	steɪl	
staleness	ˈsteɪlnɪs	
stalk	stɔˈk	
stalks	stɔˈks	
stall	stɔˈl	
stalls	stɔˈlz	
stamp	stæmp	
stamps	stæmps	
stamped	stæmpt	
stamping	ˈstæmpɪŋ	
stand	stænd	
stands	stændz	
stood	stʊd	
standing	ˈstændɪŋ	
standard	ˈstændəd	ˈstændəd
standards	ˈstændədz	ˈstændədz
standstill	ˈstænd*s*tɪl	
STANK *from* stink	stæŋk	
star	stɑˈ(r	stɑə
stars	stɑˈz	stɑəz
starch	stɑˈʧ	stɑəʧ
stare	stɛə(r	stɛə
stares	stɛəz	stɛəz

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stared	stɛəd	stɛəd
staring	ˈstɛərɪŋ	ˈstɛˑrɪŋ
starlight	ˈstɑˑlaɪt	ˈstɑəlaɪt
start	stɑˑt	stɑət
starts	stɑˑts	stɑəts
started	ˈstɑˑtɪd	ˈstɑətɪd
starting	ˈstɑˑtɪŋ	ˈstɑətɪŋ
startle	ˈstɑˑt̩	ˈstɑət̩
startles	ˈstɑˑt̩z	ˈstɑət̩z
startled	ˈstɑˑt̩d	ˈstɑət̩d
startling	ˈstɑˑtlɪŋ	ˈstɑətlɪŋ
starvation	stɑˈveɪʃən	stɑəˈveɪʃən
starve	stɑˑv	stɑəv
starves	stɑˑvz	stɑəvz
starved	stɑˑvd	stɑəvd
starving	ˈstɑˑvɪŋ	ˈstɑəvɪŋ
state	steɪt	
states	steɪts	
stated	ˈsteɪtɪd	
stating	ˈsteɪtɪŋ	
statement	ˈsteɪtmənt	
statements	ˈsteɪtmənts	
stately	ˈsteɪtlɪ	
statesman	ˈsteɪtsmən	
statesmen	ˈsteɪtsmən	
station	ˈsteɪʃən	
stations	ˈsteɪʃənz	
stationed	ˈsteɪʃənd	
stationing	ˈsteɪʃənɪŋ	
stationary	ˈsteɪʃənərɪ	ˈsteɪʃənɛrɪ
stationer	ˈsteɪʃənə(r	ˈsteɪʃnə
stationers	ˈsteɪʃənəz	ˈsteɪʃnəz
stationery	ˈsteɪʃn̩ərɪ	ˈsteɪʃənɛrɪ
statistics	stəˈtɪstɪks, stæˈtɪstɪks	
statue	ˈstætju	
statues	ˈstætjuz	
stay	steɪ	
stays	steɪz	
stayed	steɪd	
staying	ˈsteɪɪŋ	
steady	ˈstɛdɪ	
steadies	ˈstɛdɪz	
steadied	ˈstɛdɪd	
steadying	ˈstɛdɪɪŋ	
steadier	ˈstɛdɪə(r	ˈstɛdɪə
steadiest	ˈstɛdɪst	
steadily	ˈstɛdɪlɪ	

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steadiness	ˈstɛdɪnɪs	
steak	steɪk	
steaks	steɪks	
steal	stiˑl	
steals	stiˑlz	
stole	stoʊl	
stolen	ˈstoʊlən	
stealing	ˈstiˑlɪŋ	
steam	stiˑm	
steams	stiˑmz	
steamed	stiˑmd	
steaming	ˈstiˑmɪŋ	
steel	stɪˑl	
steep	stiˑp	
steeper	ˈstiˑpə(r	ˈstiˑpə
steepest	ˈstiˑpɪst	
steeply	ˈstiˑplɪ	
steepness	ˈstiˑpnɪs	
steer	stɪə(r	stɪə
steers	stɪəz	stɪəz
steered	stɪəd	stɪəd
steering	ˈstɪərɪŋ	ˈstɪˑrɪŋ
stem	stɛm	
stems	stɛmz	
step	stɛp	
steps	stɛps	
stepped	stɛpt	
stepping	ˈstɛpɪŋ	
step-, *prefix*	stɛp	
Stephen	ˈstiˑvn̩	
stern	stəˑn	stɜən
sternly	ˈstəˑnlɪ	ˈstɜənlɪ
sternness	ˈstəˑnnɪs	ˈstɜənnɪs
steward	ˈstjuˑəd, stjʊəd	ˈstjuˑəd
stewards	ˈstjuˑədz, stjʊədz	ˈstjuˑədz
stick	stɪk	
sticks	stɪks	
stuck	stʌk	
sticking	ˈstɪkɪŋ	
sticky	ˈstɪkɪ	
stiff	stɪf	
stiffer	ˈstɪfə(r	ˈstɪfə
stiffest	ˈstɪfɪst	
stiffen	ˈstɪfn̩	
stiffens	ˈstɪfn̩z	
stiffened	ˈstɪfn̩d	
stiffening	ˈstɪfnɪŋ, ˈstɪfn̩ɪŋ	

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stiffly	ˈstɪflɪ	
stiffness	ˈstɪfnɪs	
stifle	ˈstaɪfl̩	
stifles	ˈstaɪfl̩z	
stifled	ˈstaɪfl̩d	
stifling	ˈstaɪflɪŋ	
still	stɪl	
stimulant	ˈstɪmjʊlənt	
stimulants	ˈstɪmjʊlənts	
stimulate	ˈstɪmjʊleɪt	
stimulates	ˈstɪmjʊleɪts	
stimulated	ˈstɪmjʊleɪtɪd	
stimulating	ˈstɪmjʊleɪtɪŋ	
stimulation	stɪmjʊˈleɪʃən	
stimulus	ˈstɪmjʊləs	
stimuli	ˈstɪmjʊlaɪ	
sting	stɪŋ	
stings	stɪŋz	
stung	stʌŋ	
stinging	ˈstɪŋɪŋ	
stink	stɪŋk	
stinks	stɪŋks	
stank	ˈstæŋk	
stunk	stʌŋk	
stinking	ˈstɪŋkɪŋ	
stipulate	ˈstɪpjʊleɪt	
stipulates	ˈstɪpjʊleɪts	
stipulated	ˈstɪpjʊleɪtɪd	
stipulating	ˈstɪpjʊleɪtɪŋ	
stipulation	stɪpjʊˈleɪʃən	
stipulations	stɪpjʊˈleɪʃənz	
stir	stəˑ(r	stəə
stirs	stəˑz	stəəz
stirred	stəˑd	stəəd
stirring	ˈstəˑrɪŋ	
stirrup	ˈstɪrəp	ˈstərəp
stirrups	ˈstɪrəps	ˈstərəp
stitch	stɪtʃ	
stiches	ˈstɪtʃɪz	
stock	stɒk	stɑk
stocks	stɒks	stɑks
Stockholm	ˈstɒkhoʊm	ˈstɑkhoʊm
stocking	ˈstɒkɪŋ	ˈstɑkɪŋ
stockings	ˈstɒkɪŋz	ˈstɑkɪŋz
stoker	ˈstoʊkə(r	ˈstoʊkə
stokers	ˈstoʊkəz	ˈstoʊkəz
STOLE *from* steal	stoʊl	

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stomach	ˈstʌmək	
stomachs	ˈstʌməks	
stone	stoʊn	
stones	stoʊnz	
stony	ˈstoʊnɪ	
STOOD *from* stand	stʊd	
stool	stuˈl	
stools	stuˈlz	
stoop	stuˈp	
stoops	stuˈps	
stooped	stuˈpt	
stooping	ˈstuˈpɪŋ	
stop	stɒp	stɑp
stops	stɒps	stɑps
stopped	stɒpt	stɑpt
stopping	ˈstɒpɪŋ	ˈstɑpɪŋ
stoppage	ˈstɒpɪʤ	ˈstɑpɪʤ
stoppages	ˈstɒpɪʤɪz	ˈstɑpɪʤɪz
stopper	ˈstɒpə(r	ˈstɑpə
stoppers	ˈstɒpəz	ˈstɑpəz
store	stɔˑ(r, stɔə(r	stoə
stores	stɔˑz, stɔəz	stoəz
stored	stɔˑd, stɔəd	stoəd
storing	ˈstɔˑrɪŋ, ˈstɔərɪŋ	ˈstoˑrɪŋ
storm	stɔˑm	stɔəm
storms	stɔˑmz	stɔəmz
stormed	stɔˑmd	stɔəmd
storming	ˈstɔˑmɪŋ	ˈstɔəmɪŋ
stormy	ˈstɔˑm	ˈstɔəm
story	ˈstɔˑrɪ	
stories	ˈstɔˑrɪz	
stout	staʊt	
stouter	ˈstaʊtə(r	ˈstaʊtə
stoutest	ˈstaʊtɪst	
stoutly	ˈstaʊtlɪ	
stove	stoʊv	
stoves	stoʊvz	
straight	streɪt	
straighter	ˈstreɪtə(r	ˈstreɪtə
straightest	ˈstreɪtɪst	
straighten	ˈstreɪtn̩	
straightens	ˈstreɪtn̩z	
straightened	ˈstreɪtn̩d	
straightening	ˈstreɪtnɪŋ	
straightforward	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˑwəd	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwəd
straightforwardly	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˑwədlɪ	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwədlɪ
straightforwardness	ˈstreɪtˈfɔˑwədnɪs	ˈstreɪtˈfɔəwədnɪs

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straightness	ˈstreɪtnɪs	
strain	streɪn	
strains	streɪnz	
strained	streɪnd	
straining	ˈstreɪnɪŋ	
strait	streɪt	
straits	streɪts	
strand	strænd	
strands	strændz	
stranded	ˈstrændɪd	
stranding	ˈstrændɪŋ	
strange	streɪnʤ	
stranger	ˈstreɪnʤə(r	ˈstreɪnʤə
strangest	ˈstreɪnʤɪst	
stranger	ˈstreɪnʤə(r	
strangers	ˈstreɪnʤəz	
strangely	ˈstreɪnʤlɪ	
strangeness	ˈstreɪnʤnɪs	
strangle	ˈstræŋgl̩	
strangles	ˈstræŋgl̩z	
strangled	ˈstræŋgl̩d	
strangling	ˈstræŋglɪŋ	
strap	stræp	
straps	stræps	
strapped	stræpt	
strapping	ˈstræpɪŋ	
stratagem	ˈstrætɪʤɪm	
	ˈstrætəʤəm	
stratagems	ˈstrætɪʤɪmz	
	ˈstrætəʤəmz	
strategic	strəˈtiːʤɪk	
	strǽˈtiːʤɪk	
strategically	strəˈtiːʤɪkəlɪ	
	strǽˈtiːʤɪkəlɪ	
strategy	ˈstrætɪʤɪ	
straw	strɔː	
straws	strɔːz	
strawberry	ˈstrɔːbərɪ	ˈstrɔːbɛrɪ
strawberries	ˈstrɔːbərɪz	ˈstrɔːbɛrɪz
stray	streɪ	
strays	streɪz	
strayed	streɪd	
straying	ˈstreɪɪŋ	
streak	striːk	
streaks	striːks	
stream	striːm	
streams	striːmz	

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streamed	stri·md	
streaming	ˈstri·mɪŋ	
street	stri·t	
streets	stri·ts	
strength	strɛŋkθ	
strengths	strɛŋkθs	
strengthen	ˈstrɛŋkθən	
strengthens	ˈstrɛŋkθənz	
strengthened	ˈstrɛŋkθənd	
strengthening	ˈstrɛŋkθənɪŋ	
strenuous	ˈstrɛnjʊəs	
strenuously	ˈstrɛnjʊəslɪ	
stress	strɛs	
stresses	ˈstrɛsɪz	
stressed	strɛst	
stressing	ˈstrɛsɪŋ	
stretch	strɛtʃ	
stretches	ˈstrɛtʃɪz	
stretched	strɛtʃt	
stretching	ˈstrɛtʃɪŋ	
strict	strɪkt	
stricter	ˈstrɪktə(r	ˈstrɪktə
strictest	ˈstrɪktɪst	
strictly	ˈstrɪktlɪ	
stride	straɪd	
strides	straɪdz	
strife	straɪf	
strike	straɪk	
strikes	straɪks	
struck	strʌk	
striking	ˈstraɪkɪŋ	
strikingly	ˈstraɪkɪŋlɪ	
string	strɪŋ	
strings	strɪŋz	
stringed	strɪŋd	
strung	strʌŋ	
stringing	ˈstrɪŋɪŋ	
strip	strɪp	
strips	strɪps	
stripped	strɪpt	
stripping	ˈstrɪpɪŋ	
stripe	straɪp	
stripes	straɪps	
striped	straɪpt	
striping	ˈstraɪpɪŋ	
strive	straɪv	
strives	straɪvz	

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strove	strouv	
striven	ˈstrɪvn̩	
striving	ˈstraɪvɪŋ	
stroke	strouk	
strokes	strouks	
stroked	stroukt	
stroking	ˈstroukɪŋ	
stroll	stroul	
strolls	stroulz	
strolled	strould	
strolling	ˈstroulɪŋ	
strong	strɒŋ	
stronger	ˈstrɒŋgə(r	ˈstrɒŋgə
strongest	ˈstrɒŋgɪst	
strongly	ˈstrɒŋlɪ	
STROVE *from* strive	strouv	
STRUCK *from* strike	strʌk	
structure	ˈstrʌktʃə(r	ˈstrʌktʃə
structures	ˈstrʌktʃəz	ˈstrʌktʃəz
struggle	ˈstrʌgl̩	
struggles	ˈstrʌgl̩z	
struggled	ˈstrʌgl̩d	
struggling	ˈstrʌglɪŋ, ˈstrʌgl̩ɪŋ	
STRUNG *from* string	strʌŋ	
stubborn	ˈstʌbən	ˈstʌbən
stubbornly	ˈstʌbənlɪ	ˈstʌbənlɪ
stubbornness	ˈstʌbənnɪs	ˈstʌbənnɪs
STUCK *from* stick	stʌk	
student	ˈstjuˑdənt	
students	ˈstjuˑdənts	
studious	ˈstjuˑdjəs, ˈstjuˑdɪəs	
study	ˈstʌdɪ	
studies	ˈstʌdɪz	
studied	ˈstʌdɪd	
studying	ˈstʌdɪɪŋ	
stuff	ˈstʌf	
stuffs	ˈstʌfs	
stuffed	ˈstʌft	
stuffing	ˈstʌfɪŋ	
stuffy	ˈstʌfɪ	
stumble	ˈstʌmbl̩	
stumbles	ˈstʌmbl̩z	
stumbled	ˈstʌmbl̩d	
stumbling	ˈstʌmblɪŋ	
stump	stʌmp	
stumps	stʌmps	
stun	stʌn	

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stuns	stʌnz	
stunned	stʌnd	
stunning	ˈstʌnɪŋ	
STUNG *from* sting	stʌŋ	
STUNK *from* stink	stʌŋk	
stupid	ˈstjuːpɪd, ˈstjuˑpɪd	
stupidity	stjuˈpɪdɪtɪ, stjuˈpɪdɪtɪ	
stupidly	ˈstjuːpɪdlɪ, ˈstjuˑpɪdlɪ	
stutter	ˈstʌtə(r	ˈstʌtə
stutters	ˈstʌtəz	ˈstʌtəz
stuttered	ˈstʌtəd	ˈstʌtəd
stuttering	ˈstʌtərɪŋ	
stutterer	ˈstʌtərə(r	ˈstʌtərə
stutterers	ˈstʌtərəz	ˈstʌtərəz
style	staɪl	
styles	staɪlz	
sub-, *prefix*	sʌb-, səb-	
subdivision	ˈsʌbdɪˈvɪʒən	
subdivisions	ˈsʌbdɪˈvɪʒənz	
subdued, *adj.*	səbˈdjuˑd	
subject, *noun*	ˈsʌbʤɪkt	
subjects	ˈsʌbʤɪkts	
subject, *verb*	səbˈʤɛkt, ˈsʌbʤɪkt	
subjects	səbˈʤɛkts ˈsʌbʤɪkts	
subjected	səbˈʤɛktɪd ˈsʌbʤɪktɪd	
subjecting	səbˈʤɛktɪŋ ˈsʌbʤɪktɪŋ	
subjective	səbˈʤɛktɪv sʌbˈʤɛktɪv	
subjectively	səbˈʤɛktɪvlɪ svbˈʤɛktɪvlɪ	
sublime	səˈblaɪm	
sublimely	səˈblaɪmlɪ	
submarine	ˈsʌbmərin	
submarines	ˈsʌbmərinz	
submission	səbˈmɪʃən	
submit	səbˈmɪt	
submits	səbˈmɪts	
submitted	səbˈmɪtɪd	
submitting	səbˈmɪtɪŋ	
subordinate, *noun*	səˈbɔˑdənɪt	səˈbɔədənɪt
subordinates	səˈbɔˑdənɪts	səˈbɔədənɪts
subordinate, *verb*	səˈbɔˑdɪneɪt	səˈbɔədɪneɪt
subordinates	səˈbɔˑdɪneɪts	səˈbɔədɪneɪts
subordinated	səˈbɔˑdɪneɪtɪd	səˈbɔədɪneɪtɪd

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subordinating	sə'bɔˑdɪneɪtɪŋ	sə'bɔədɪneɪtɪŋ
subscribe	səb'skraɪb	
subscribes	səb'skraɪbz	
subscribed	səb'skraɪbd	
subscribing	səb'skraɪbɪŋ	
subscriber	səb'skraɪbə(r	səb'skraɪbə
subscribers	səb'skraɪbəz	səb'skraɪbəz
subscription	səb'skrɪpʃən	
subscriptions	səb'skrɪpʃənz	
subsequent	'sʌbsɪkwənt	
subsequently	'sʌbsɪkwəntlɪ	
subsidy	'sʌbsɪdɪ	
subsidies	'sʌbsɪdɪz	
substance	'sʌbstəns	
substances	'sʌbstənsɪz	
substantial	səb'stænʃəl	
substantially	səb'stænʃəlɪ	
substitute	'sʌbstɪtjut	
substitutes	'sʌbstɪtjuts	
substituted	'sʌbstɪtjutɪd	
substituting	'sʌbstɪtjutɪŋ	
substitution	sʌbstɪ'tjuˑʃən	
substitutions	sʌbstɪ'tjuˑʃənz	
subtle	'sʌt‖	
subtler	'sʌtlə(r	'sʌtlə
subtlest	'sʌtlɪst	
subtlety	'sʌt‖tɪ	
subtleties	'sʌt‖tɪz	
subtly	'sʌtlɪ	
subtract	səb'trækt	
subtracts	səb'trækts	
subtracted	səb'træktɪd	
subtracting	səb'trækt ɪŋ	
subtraction	səb'trækʃən	
subtractions	səb'trækʃənz	
suburb	'sʌbəb, 'sʌbəb	'sʌbəəb, 'sʌbəb
suburbs	'sʌbəbz, 'sʌbəbz	'sʌbəəbz, 'sʌbəbz
suburban	sə'bɜˑbən	sə'bəəbən
subway	'sʌbweɪ	
subways	'sʌbweɪz	
succeed	sək'siˑd	
succeeds	sək'siˑdz	
succeeded	sək'siˑdɪd	
succeeding	sək'siˑdɪŋ	aʊ
success	sək'sɛs	
successes	sək'sɛsɪz	
successful	sək'sɛsful	

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successfully	sək'sɛsfulɪ, sək'sɛsfəlɪ	
succession	sək'sɛʃən	
successive	sək'sɛsɪv	
successively	sək'sɛsɪvlɪ	
successor	sək'sɛsə(r	sək'sɛsə
successors	sək'sɛsəz	sək'sɛsəz
such	sʌʧ, sətʃ	
such-and-such	'sʌʧənsʌʧ	
suck	sʌk	
sucks	sʌks	
sucked	sʌkt	
sucking	'sʌkɪŋ	
suction	'sʌkʃən	
sudden	'sʌdn̩	
suddenly	'sʌdn̩lɪ	
suddenness	'sʌdn̩nɪs	
Suez	'suˈɪz, 'sjuˈɪz	su'ɛz
suffer	'sʌfə(r	'sʌfə
suffers	'sʌfəz	'sʌfəz
suffered	'sʌfəd	'sʌfəd
suffering	'sʌfərɪŋ	
sufferer	'sʌfərə(r	'sʌfərə
sufferers	'sʌfərəz	'sʌfərəz
suffice	sə'faɪs	
suffices	sə'faɪsɪz	
sufficed	sə'faɪst	
sufficing	sə'faɪsɪŋ	
sufficient	sə'fɪʃənt	
sufficiently	sə'fɪʃəntlɪ	
suffix	'sʌfɪks	
suffixes	'sʌfɪksɪz	
suffocate	'sʌfəkeɪt	
suffocates	'sʌfəkeɪts	
suffocated	'sʌfəkeɪtɪd	
suffocating	'sʌfəkeɪtɪŋ	
suffocation	sʌfə'keɪʃən	
suffrage	'sʌfrɪʤ	
sugar	'ʃʊgə(r	'ʃʊgə
suggest	sə'ʤɛst	While Krapp states that [səg'ʤɛst], etc., is a purist affectation, Kenyon maintains that the alternative form [sə'ʤest] is very rare in Northern Ohio and probably in the North generally. Martin agrees with Kenyon.
suggests	sə'ʤɛsts	
suggested	sə'ʤɛstɪd	
suggesting	sə'ʤɛstɪŋ	
suggestion	sə'ʤɛstʃən	
suggestions	sə'ʤɛstʃənz	
suggestive	sə'ʤɛstɪv	
suicidal	sjuɪ'saɪdl̩	
suicide	'sjuɪsaɪd	

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suicides	ˈsjuɪsaɪdz	
suit	sjuˈt	
suits	sjuˈts	
suited	ˈsjuˈtɪd	
suiting	ˈsjuˈtɪŋ	
suitability	sjutəˈbɪlɪtɪ	
suitable	ˈsjuˈtəbl̩	
suitably	ˈsjuˈtəblɪ	
sulk	sʌlk	
sulks	sʌlks	
sulked	sʌlkt	
sulking	ˈsʌlkɪŋ	
sulkily	ˈsʌlkɪlɪ	
sulky	ˈsʌlkɪ	
sulphur	ˈsʌlfə(r	ˈsʌlfə
sultry	ˈsʌltrɪ	
sum	sʌm	
sums	sʌmz	
summed	sʌmd	
summing	ˈsʌmɪŋ	
summarize	ˈsʌmərɑɪz	
summarizes	ˈsʌmərɑɪzɪz	
summarized	ˈsʌmərɑɪzd	
summarizing	ˈsʌmərɑɪzɪŋ	
summary	ˈsʌmərɪ	
summaries	ˈsʌmərɪz	
summer	ˈsʌmə(r	ˈsʌmə
summers	ˈsʌməz	ˈsʌməz
summon	ˈsʌmən	
summons	ˈsʌmənz	
summoned	ˈsʌmənd	
summoning	ˈsʌmənɪŋ	
summons	ˈsʌmənz	
sun	sʌn	
suns	sʌnz	
sunburn	ˈsʌnbən	ˈsʌnbəən
sunburnt	ˈsʌnbənt	ˈsʌnbəənt
Sunday	ˈsʌndɪ	
Sundays	ˈsʌndɪz	
sundry	ˈsʌndrɪ	
SUNG *from* sing	sʌɪŋ	
SUNK *from* sink	sʌɪŋk	
sunlight	ˈsʌnlɑɪt	
sunny	ˈsʌnɪ	
sunrise	ˈsʌnrɑɪz	
sunset	ˈsʌnsɛt	
sunshine	ˈsʌnʃɑɪn	

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super-, *prefix*	ˈsjuːpə(r	ˈsjuːpə
superb	sjuˈpɜːb	sjuˈpəəb
supercilious	sjupəˈsɪlɪəs	sjupəˈsɪlɪəs
superficial	sjupəˈfɪʃəl	sjupəˈfɪʃəl
superficially	sjupəˈfɪʃəlɪ	sjupəˈfɪʃəlɪ
superfluous	sjuˈpɜːfluəs	sjuˈpəəfluəs
superfluously	sjuˈpɜːfluəslɪ	sjuˈpəəfluəslɪ
superintend	sjupərɪnˈtɛnd	
superintends	sjupərɪnˈtɛndz	
superintended	sjupərɪnˈtɛndɪd	
superintending	sjupərɪnˈtɛndɪŋ	
superior	sjuˈpɪərɪə(r	sjuˈpɪːrɪə
superiors	sjuˈpɪərɪəz	sjuˈpɪːrɪəz
superiority	sjupɪərɪˈɒrɪtɪ	sjupɪːrɪˈɒrɪtɪ
superlative	sjuˈpɜːlətɪv	sjuˈpəələtɪv
supersede	sjupəˈsiːd	sjupəˈsiːd
supersedes	sjupəˈsiːdz	sjupəˈsiːdz
superdeded	sjupəˈsiːdɪd	sjupəˈsiːdɪd
superseding	sjupəˈsiːdɪŋ	sjupəˈsiːdɪŋ
superstition	sjupəˈstɪʃən	sjupəˈstɪʃən
superstitions	sjupəˈstɪʃənz	sjupəˈstɪʃənz
superstitious	sjupəˈstɪʃəs	sjupəˈstɪʃəs
supervise	ˈsjuːpəvaɪz	ˈsjuːpəvaɪz
	sjupəˈvaɪz	sjupəˈvaɪz
supervises	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪz	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪz
	sjupəˈvaɪzɪz	sjupəˈvaɪzɪz
supervised	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzd	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzd
	sjupəˈvaɪzd	sjupəˈvaɪzd
supervising	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪŋ	ˈsjuːpəvaɪzɪŋ
	sjupəˈvaɪzɪŋ	sjupəˈvaɪzɪŋ
supper	ˈsʌpə(r	ˈsʌpə
suppers	ˈsʌpəz	ˈsʌpəz
supplement, *noun*	ˈsʌplɪmənt	
supplements	ˈsʌplɪmənts	
supplement, *verb*	ˈsʌplɪmɛnt	
supplements	ˈsʌplɪmɛnts	
supplemented	ˈsʌplɪmɛntɪd	
supplementing	ˈsʌplɪmɛntɪŋ	
supply	səˈplaɪ	
supplies	səˈplaɪz	
supplied	səˈplaɪd	
supplying	səˈplaɪɪŋ	
support	səˈpɔːt	səˈpoət
supports	səˈpɔːts	səˈpoəts
supported	səˈpɔːtɪd	səˈpoətɪd
supporting	səˈpɔːtɪŋ	səˈpoətɪŋ
supporter	səˈpɔːtə(r	səˈpoətə

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supporters	sə′pɔːtəz	sə′poətəz
suppose	sə′pouz	
supposes	sə′pouzɪz	
supposed	sə′pouzd	
supposing	sə′pouzɪŋ	
supposition	sʌpə′zɪʃən	
suppositions	sʌpə′zɪʃənz	
suppress	sə′prɛs	
suppresses	sə′prɛsɪz	
suppressed	sə′prɛst	
suppressing	sə′prɛsɪŋ	
suppression	sə′prɛʃən	
suppressions	sə′prɛʃənz	
supremacy	sjʊ′prɛməsɪ	
supremacies	sjʊ′prɛməsɪz	
supreme	sjʊ′priːm	
supremely	sjʊ′priːmlɪ	
sure	ʃʊə(r, ʃɔə(r	ʃʊə
surer	′ʃʊərə(r, ′ʃɔərə(r	′ʃʊːrə
surest	′ʃʊərɪst, ′ʃɔərɪst	′ʃʊːrɪst
surely	′ʃʊəlɪ, ′ʃɔəlɪ	′ʃʊəlɪ
sureness	′ʃʊənɪs, ′ʃɔənɪs	′ʃʊənɪs
surf	səːf	səəf
surface	′səːfɪs	′səəfɪs
surfaces	′səːfɪsɪz	′səəfɪsɪz
surgeon	′səːʤən	′səəʤən
surgeons	′səːʤənz	′səəʤənz
surgery	′səːʤərɪ	′səəʤərɪ
surgical	′səːʤɪkəl	′səəʤɪkəl
surgically	′səːʤɪkəlɪ	′səəʤɪkəlɪ
surly	′səːlɪ	′səəlɪ
surmise	sə′maɪz, ′səːmaɪz	sə′maɪz, ′səəmaɪz
surmises	sə′maɪzɪz, ′səːmaɪzɪz	sə′maɪzɪz . . . .
surname	′səːneɪm	′səəneɪm
surnames	′səːneɪmz	′səəneɪmz
surpass	sə′pɑːs, sə′pɑːs	sə′pas, sə′paːs
surpasses	sə′pɑːsɪz, sə′pɑːsɪz	sə′paːsɪz, sə′paːsɪz
surpassed	sə′pɑːst, sə′pɑːst	sə′paːst, sə′paːst
surpassing	sə′pɑːsɪŋ, sə′pɑːsɪŋ	sə′paːsɪŋ, sə′paːsɪŋ
surplus	′səːpləs	′səəpləs
surpluses	′səːpləsɪz	′səəpləsɪz
surprise	sə′praɪz	sə′praɪz
surprises	sə′praɪzɪz	sə′praɪzɪz
surprised	sə′praɪzd	sə′praɪzd
surprising	sə′praɪzɪŋ	sə′praɪzɪŋ
surprisingly	sə′praɪzɪŋlɪ	sə′praɪzɪŋlɪ
surrender	sə′rɛndə(r	sə′rɛndə

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surrenders	sə′rɛndəz	sə′rɛndəz
surrendered	sə′rɛndəd	sə′rɛndəd
surrendering	sə′rɛndərɪŋ	
surround	sə′raʊnd	
surrounds	sə′raʊndz	
surrounded	sə′raʊndɪd	
surrounding	sə′raʊndɪŋ	
surroundings	sə′raʊndɪŋz	
survey, *noun*	′sɜ·veɪ, sɜ′veɪ	′sɜəveɪ, sɜə′veɪ
surveys	′sɜ·veɪz, sɜ′veɪz	′sɜəveɪz, sɜə′veɪz
survey, *verb*	sɜ′veɪ	sɜə′veɪ
surveys	sɜ′veɪz	sɜə′veɪz
surveyed	sɜ′veɪd	sɜə′veɪd
surveying	sɜ′veɪɪŋ	sɜə′veɪɪŋ
surveyor	sɜ′veɪə(r	sɜə′veɪə
surveyors	sɜ′veɪəz	sɜə′veɪəz
survive	sɜ′vaɪv, sə′vaɪv	sɜə′vaɪv, sə′vaɪv
survives	sɜ′vaɪvz, sə′vaɪvz	sɜə′vaɪvz, sə′vaɪvz
survived	sɜ′vaɪvd, sə′vaɪvd	sɜə′vaɪvd, sə′vaɪvd
surviving	sɜ′vaɪvɪŋ, sə′vaɪvɪŋ	sɜə′vaɪvɪŋ, sə′vaɪvɪŋ
survival	sɜ′vaɪvəl, sə′vaɪvəl	sɜə′vaɪvəl, sə′vaɪvəl
survivals	sɜ′vaɪvəlz	sɜə′vaɪvəlz
	sə′vaɪvəlz	sə′vaɪvəlz
survivor	sɜ′vaɪvə(r, sə′vaɪvə(r	sɜə′vaɪvə, sə′vaɪvə
survivors	sɜ′vaɪvəz, sə′vaɪvəz	sɜə′vaɪvəz, sə′vaɪvəz
Susan	′su·zn̩	
susceptibility	səsɛptɪ′bɪlɪtɪ	
susceptible	sə′sɛptɪbḷ	
suspect, *noun*	′sʌspɛkt	
suspects	′sʌspɛkts	
suspect, *verb*	səs′pɛkt	
suspects	səs′pɛkts	
suspected	səs′pɛktɪd	
suspecting	səs′pɛktɪŋ	
suspend	səs′pɛnd	
suspends	səs′pɛndz	
suspended	səs′pɛndɪd	
suspending	səs′pɛndɪŋ	
suspense	səs′pɛns	
suspension	səs′pɛnʃən	
suspicion	səs′pɪʃən	
suspicions	səs′pɪʃənz	
suspicious	səs′pɪʃəs	
suspiciously	səs′pɪʃəslɪ	
sustain	səs′teɪn	
sustains	səs′teɪnz	
sustained	səs′teɪnd	

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sustaining	səs'teɪnɪŋ	
swallow	'swɒloʊ	'swɑloʊ
swallows	'swɒloʊz	'swɑloʊz
swallowed	'swɒloʊd	'swɑloʊd
swallowing	'swɒloʊɪŋ	'swɑloʊɪŋ
SWAM *from* swim	swæm	
swamp	swɒmp	swɑmp
swamps	swɒmps	swɑmps
swamped	swɒmpt	swɑmpt
swamping	'swɒmpɪŋ	'swɑmpɪŋ
swan	swɒn	swɑn
swans	swɒnz	swɑnz
swarm	swɔ'm	swɔəm
swarms	swɔ'mz	swɔəmz
swarmed	swɔ'md	swɔəmd
swarming	'swɔ'mɪŋ	'swɔəmɪŋ
sway	sweɪ	
sways	sweɪz	
swayed	sweɪd	
swaying	'sweɪɪŋ	
swear	swɛə(r	swɛə
swears	swɛəz	swɛəz
swore	swɔ'(r, swɔə(r	swoə
sworn	swɔ'n	swoən
swearing	'swɛərɪŋ	'swɛ'rɪŋ
sweat	swɛt	
sweats	swɛts	
sweated	'swɛtɪd	
sweating	'swɛtɪŋ	
Swede	swi'd	
Swedes	swi'dz	
Sweden	'swi'dn̩	
Swedish	'swi'dɪʃ	
sweep	swi'p	
sweeps	swi'ps	
swept	swɛpt	
sweeping	'swi'pɪŋ	
sweet	swi't	
sweets	swi'ts	
sweeter	'swi'tə(r	'swi'tə
sweetest	'swi'tɪst	
sweeten	'swi'tn̩	
sweetens	'swi'tn̩z	
sweetened	'swi'tn̩d	
sweetening	'swi'tnɪŋ, 'swi'tn̩ɪŋ	
sweetly	'swi'tlɪ	
sweetness	'swi'tnɪs	

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tracks	træks	
tracked	trækt	
tracking	'trækɪŋ	
tract	trækt	
tracts	trækts	
trade	treɪd	
trades	treɪdz	
traded	'treɪdɪd	
trading	'treɪdɪŋ	
trader	'treɪdə(r	'treɪdə
traders	'treɪdəz	'treɪdəz
tradesman	'treɪdzmɔn	
tradesmen	'treɪdzmən	
tradition	trə'dɪʃən	
traditions	trə'dɪʃənz	
traditional	trə'dɪʃən̩l	
traditionally	trə'dɪʃənəlɪ	
traffic	'træfɪk	
tragedy	'trædʒədɪ	
tragedies	'trædʒədɪz	
tragic	'trædʒɪk	
trail	treɪl	
trails	treɪlz	
train	treɪn	
trains	treɪnz	
trained	treɪnd	
training	'treɪnɪŋ	
trainer	'treɪnə(r	'treɪnə
trainers	'treɪnəz	'treɪnəz
traitor	'treɪtə(r	'treɪtə
traitors	'treɪtəz	'treɪtəz
tram	træm	
trams	træmz	
tramcar	'træmkɑ(r	'træmkɑə
tramcars	'træmkɑz	'træmkɑəz
tramp	træmp	
tramps	træmps	
tramped	trampt	
tramping	'træmpɪŋ	
trample	'træmpl̩	
tramples	'træmpl̩z	
trampled	'træmpl̩d	
trampling	'træmplɪŋ	
trans-, *prefix*	‡træns, trɑ:ns	
	‡trænz, trɑ:nz	
transact	trən'zækt, trən'sækt	

‡ This variant [træns—trɑ:ns] applies to all words beginning with this prefix.

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transacts	træn'zækts	
	træn'sækts	
transacted	træn'zæktɪd	
	træn'sæktɪd	
transacting	træn'sæktɪŋ	
	træn'zæktɪŋ	
transaction	træn'zækʃən	
	træn'sækʃən	
transactions	træn'zækʃənz	
	træn'sækʃənz	
transcribe	træns'kraɪb	
transcribes	træns'kraɪbz	
transcribed	træns'kraɪbd	
transcribing	træns'kraɪbɪŋ	
transcription	træns'krɪpʃən	
transcriptions	træns'krɪpʃənz	
transfer, *noun*	'trænsfə(r	'trænsfəə
transfers	'trænsfəz	'trænsfəəz
transfer, *verb*	træns'fə·(r	træns'fəə
transfers	træns'fə·z	træns'fəəz
transferred	træns'fə·d	træns'fəəd
transferring	træns'fə·rɪŋ	
transform	træns'fɔ·m	træns'fɔəm
transforms	træns'fɔ·mz	træns'fɔəmz
transformed	træns'fɔ·md	træns'fɔəmd
transforming	træns'fɔ·mɪŋ	træns'fɔəmɪŋ
transformation	†trænsfə'meɪʃən	trænsfə'meɪʃən
transformations	†trænsfə'meɪʃənz	trænsfə'meɪʃənz
transgress	træns'grɛs	
transgresses	træns'grɛsɪz	
transgressed	træns'grɛst	
transgressing	træns'grɛsɪŋ	
transgression	træns'grɛʃən	
transgressions	træns'grɛʃənz	
transit	'trænsɪt	
transits	'trænsɪts	
transition	træn'sɪʒən, træn'zɪʃən	
transitions	træn'sɪʒənz	
	træn'zɪʃənz	
transitional	træn'sɪʒən‖	
	træn'zɪʃən‖	
translate	trans'leɪt	træns'leɪt
translates	trans'leɪts	træns'leɪts
translated	trans'leɪtɪd	træns'leɪtɪd
translating	trans'leɪtɪŋ	træns'leɪtɪŋ
translation	trans'leɪʃən	træns'leɪʃən

† See Note 30, p. xxxv in Introduction.

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translations	trɑns'leɪʃənz	træns'leɪʃənz
translator	trɑns'leɪtə(r	træns'leɪtə
translators	trɑns'leɪtəz	træns'leɪtəz
transmission	trænz'mɪʃən træns'mɪʃən	
transmissions	trænz'mɪʃənz træns'mɪʃənz	
transmit	trænz'mɪt, træns'mɪt	
transmits	trænz'mɪts træns'mɪts	
transmitted	trænz'mɪtɪd træns'mɪtɪd	
transmitting	trænz'mɪtɪŋ træns'mɪtɪŋ	
transparent	træns'pɛərənt træns'pærənt	træns'pɛ·rənt
transparently	træns'pɛərəntlɪ træns'pærəntlɪ	træns'pɛ·rəntlɪ
transplant	træns'plɑ·nt	træns'pla·nt
transplants	træns'plɑ·nts	træns'pla·nts
transplanted	træns'plɑ·ntɪd	træns'pla·ntɪd
transplanting	træns'plɑ·ntɪŋ	træns'pla·ntɪŋ
transport, *noun*	'trænspɔt	'trænspoət
transports	'trænspɔts	'trænspoəts
transport, *verb*	træns'pɔ·t	træns'poət
transports	træns'pɔ·ts	træns'poəts
transported	træns'pɔ·tɪd	træns'poətɪd
transporting	træns'pɔ·tɪŋ	træns'poətɪŋ
transpose	træns'pouz	
transposes	træns'pouzɪz	
transposed	træns'pouzd	
transposing	træns'pouzɪŋ	
Transvaal	'trænsvɑl	
trap	træp	
traps	træps	
trapped	træpt	
trapping	'træpɪŋ	
trash	træʃ	
trashy	'træʃɪ	
travel	'trævl̩	
travels	'trævl̩z	
traveled (*Amer.*) travelled	'trævl̩d	
traveling (*Amer.*) travelling	'trævl̩ɪŋ, 'trævlɪŋ	
traveler (*Amer.*)		
traveller	'trævl̩ə(r, 'trævlə(r	'trævlə
travelers (*Amer.*)		

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travellers	ˈtrævl̩əz, ˈtrævləz	ˈtrævləz
tray	treɪ	
trays	treɪz	
treacherous	ˈtrɛtʃərəs	
treacherously	ˈtrɛtʃərəslɪ	
treachery	ˈtrɛtʃərɪ	
tread	trɛd	
treads	trɛdz	
trod	trɒd	trɑd
trodden	ˈtrɒdn̩	ˈtrɑdn̩
treading	ˈtrɛdɪŋ	
treason	ˈtriːzn̩	
treasure	ˈtrɛʒə(r	ˈtrɛʒə
treasures	ˈtrɛʒəz	ˈtrɛʒəz
treasured	ˈtrɛʒəd	ˈtrɛʒəd
treasuring	ˈtrɛʒərɪŋ	
treasurer	ˈtrɛʒərə(r	ˈtrɛʒərə
treasurers	ˈtrɛʒərəz	ˈtrɛʒərəz
treasury	ˈtrɛʒərɪ	
treat	triːt	
treats	triːts	
treated	ˈtriːtɪd	
treating	ˈtriːtɪŋ	
treatment	ˈtriːtmənt	
treatments	ˈtriːtmənts	
treaty	ˈtriːtɪ	
treaties	ˈtriːtɪz	
treble	ˈtrɛbl̩	
tree	triː	
trees	triːz	
tremble	ˈtrɛmbl̩	
trembles	ˈtrɛmbl̩z	
trembled	ˈtrɛmbl̩d	
trembling	ˈtrɛmblɪŋ	
tremendous	trɪˈmɛndəs	
tremendously	trɪmɛndəslɪ	
trench	trɛntʃ	
trenches	ˈtrɛntʃɪz	
trend	trɛnd	
trends	trɛndz	
trespass	ˈtrɛspəs	
trespasses	ˈtrɛspəsɪz	
trespassed	ˈtrɛspəst	
trespassing	ˈtrɛspəsɪŋ	
trespasser	ˈtrɛspəsə(r	ˈtrɛspəsə
trespassers	ˈtrɛspəsəz	ˈtrɛspəsəz
rial	ˈtraɪəl	
trials	ˈtraɪəlz	

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triangle	ˈtraɪæŋgl̩	
triangles	ˈtraɪæŋgl̩z	
triangular	traɪˈæŋgjʊlə(r	traɪˈæŋgjʊlə
tribe	traɪb	
tribes	traɪbz	
tributary	ˈtrɪbjʊtərɪ	ˈtrɪbjʊtɛrɪ
tributaries	ˈtrɪbjʊtərɪz	ˈtrɪbjʊtɛrɪz
trick	trɪk	
tricks	trɪks	
tricked	trɪkt	
tricking	ˈtrɪkɪŋ	
trickle	ˈtrɪkl̩	
trickles	ˈtrɪkl̩z	
trickled	ˈtrɪkl̩d	
trickling	ˈtrɪklɪŋ, ˈtrɪkl̩ɪŋ	
trifle	ˈtraɪfl̩	
trifles	ˈtraɪfl̩z	
trifled	ˈtraɪfl̩d	
trifling	ˈtraɪflɪŋ, ˈtraɪfl̩ɪŋ	
trim	trɪm	
trims	trɪmz	
trimmed	trɪmd	
trimmer	ˈtrɪmə(r	ˈtrɪmə
trimmest	ˈtrɪmɪst	
trimming	ˈtrɪmɪŋ	
trimmings	ˈtrɪmɪŋz	
trio	ˈtrioʊ	
trios	ˈtrioʊz	
trip	trɪp	
trips	trɪps	
tripped	trɪpt	
tripping	ˈtrɪpɪŋ	
triple	ˈtrɪpl̩	
triply	ˈtrɪplɪ	
triumph	ˈtraɪəmf	
triumphs	ˈtraɪəmfs	
triumphed	ˈtraɪəmft	
triumphing	ˈtraɪəmfɪŋ	
triumphal	traɪˈʌmfəl	
trivial	ˈtrɪvɪəl, ˈtrɪvjəl	
TROD *from* tread	trɒd	trɑd
TRODDEN *from* tread	ˈtrɒdn̩	ˈtrɑdn̩
trolley	ˈtrɒlɪ	ˈtrɑlɪ
trolleys	ˈtrɒlɪz	ˈtrɑlɪz
troop	truːp	
troops	truːps	
trooped	truːpt	

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trooping	ˈtruˈpɪŋ	
trophy	ˈtroʊfɪ	
trophies	ˈtroʊfɪz	
tropical	ˈtrɒpɪkəl	ˈtrapɪkəl
tropically	ˈtrɒpɪkəlɪ	ˈtrapɪkəlɪ
tropics	ˈtrɒpɪks	ˈtrapɪks
trot	trɒt	trat
trots	trɒts	trats
trotted	ˈtrɒtɪd	ˈtratɪd
trotting	ˈtrɒtɪŋ	ˈtratɪŋ
trouble	ˈtrʌbl̩	
troubles	ˈtrʌbl̩z	
troubled	ˈtrʌbl̩d	
troubling	ˈtrʌblɪŋ	
troublesome	ˈtrʌbl̩səm	
troupe	truˈp	
troupes	truˈps	
trousers	ˈtraʊzəz	ˈtraʊzəz
trout	traʊt	
truck	trʌk	
trucks	trʌks	
true	truˈ	
truer	ˈtruə(r	ˈtruə
truest	ˈtruˈɪst	
trueness	ˈtruˈnɪs	
truly	ˈtruˈlɪ	
trumpet	ˈtrʌmpɪt	
trumpets	ˈtrʌmpɪts	
trunk	trʌŋk	
trunks	trʌŋks	
trust	trʌst	
trusts	trʌsts	
trusted	ˈtrʌstɪd	
trusting	ˈtrʌstɪŋ	
trustful	ˈtrʌstfʊl	
trustworthiness	ˈtrʌstwəðɪnɪs	ˈtrʌstwəəðɪnɪs
trustworthy	ˈtrʌstwəðɪ	ˈtrʌstwəəðɪ
truth	truˈθ	
truths	truˈðz, truˈθs	
truthful	ˈtruˈθfʊl	
truthfully	ˈtruˈθfʊlɪ, ˈtruˈθfəlɪ	
try	traɪ	
tries	traɪz	
tried	traɪd	
trying	ˈtraɪɪŋ	
tub	tʌb	
tubs	tʌbz	

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tube	tjuˈb	
tubes	tjuˈbz	
tuck	tʌk	
tucks	tʌks	
tucked	tʌkt	
tucking	ˈtʌkɪŋ	
Tuesday	ˈtjuˈzdɪ	
Tuesdays	ˈtjuˈzdɪz	
tug	tʌg	
tugs	tʌgz	
tugged	tʌgd	
tugging	ˈtʌgɪŋ	
tuition	tjuˈɪʃən	
tulip	ˈtjuˈlɪp	
tulips	ˈtjuˈlɪps	
tumble	ˈtʌmbl̩	
tumbles	ˈtʌmbl̩z	
tumbled	ˈtʌmbl̩d	
tumbling	ˈtʌmblɪŋ, ˈtʌmbl̩ɪŋ	
tumbler	ˈtʌmblə(r	ˈtʌmblə
tumbleɪs	ˈtʌmbləz	ˈtʌmbləz
tune	tjuˈn	
tunes	tjuˈnz	
tuned	tjuˈnd	
tuning	ˈtjuˈnɪŋ	
tunnel	tʌnl̩	
tunnels	tʌnl̩z	
tunnelled	tʌnl̩d	
tunnelling	ˈtʌnl̩ɪŋ	
Turk	təˈk	təək
Turks	təˈks	təəks
Turkey	ˈtəˈkɪ	ˈtəəkɪ
turkey	ˈtəˈkɪ	ˈtəəkɪ
turkeys	ˈtəˈkɪz	ˈtəəkɪz
Turkish	ˈtəˈkɪʃ	ˈtəəkɪʃ
turn	təˈn	təən
turns	təˈnz	təənz
turned	təˈnd	təənd
turning	ˈtəˈnɪŋ	ˈtəənɪŋ
turnings	ˈtəˈnɪŋz	ˈtəənɪŋz
turtle	ˈtəˈtl̩	ˈtəətl̩
turtles	ˈtəˈtl̩z	ˈtəətl̩z
tutor	ˈtjuˈtə(r	ˈtjuˈtə
tutors	ˈtjuˈtəz	ˈtjuˈtəz
twelfth	twɛlfθ	
twelfths	twɛlfθs	
twelve	twɛlv	

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twentieth	ˈtwɛntɪɪθ	
twentieths	ˈtwɛntɪɪθs	
twenty	ˈtwɛntɪ	
twice	twaɪs	
twilight	ˈtwaɪlaɪt	
twin	twɪn	
twins	twɪnz	
twinkle	ˈtwɪŋkl̩	
twinkles	ˈtwɪŋkl̩z	
twinkled	ˈtwɪŋkl̩d	
twinkling	ˈtwɪŋklɪŋ	
twist	twɪst	
twists	twɪsts	
twisted	ˈtwɪstɪd	
twisting	ˈtwɪstɪŋ	
two	tuˈ	
twopence	ˈtʌpəns	
type	taɪp	
types	taɪps	
typed	taɪpt	
typing	ˈtaɪpɪŋ	
typewriter	ˈtaɪpraɪtə(r	ˈtaɪpraɪtə
typewriters	ˈtaɪpraɪtəz	ˈtaɪpraɪtəz
typical	ˈtɪpɪkəl	
typically	ˈtɪpɪkəlɪ	
typist	ˈtaɪpɪst	
typists	ˈtaɪpɪsts	
tyrannical	tɪˈrænɪkəl, taɪˈrænɪkəl	
tyrannically	tɪˈrænɪkəlɪ taɪˈrænɪkəlɪ	
tyrant	ˈtaɪərənt	ˈtaɪrənt
tyrants	ˈtaɪərənts	ˈtaɪrənts
tyre	ˈtaɪə(r	ˈtaɪə
tyres	ˈtaɪəz	ˈtaɪəz

U

U	juˈ	
U's	juˈz	
ugliness	ˈʌglɪnɪs	
ugly	ˈʌglɪ	
uglier	ˈʌglɪə(r	ˈʌglɪə
ugliest	ˈʌglɪɪst	
ultimate	ˈʌltɪmɪt	
ultimately	ˈʌltɪmɪtlɪ	
ultra-, *prefix*	ˈʌltrə	

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umbrella	ʌm'brɛlə	
umbrellas	ʌm'brɛləz	
umpire	'ʌmpaɪə(r	'ʌmpaɪə
umpires	'ʌmpaɪəz	'ʌmpaɪəz
un-, *prefix*	ʌn-	
unable	'ʌn'eɪbḷ	
unacceptable	'ʌnək'sɛptəbḷ	
	'ʌnæk'sɛptəbḷ	
unaccompanied	'ʌnə'kʌmpənɪd	
unaccustomed	'ʌnə'kʌstəmd	
unadvisable	'ʌnəd'vaɪzəbḷ	
unaided	'ʌn'eɪdɪd	
unalterable	'ʌn'ɔ·ltərəbḷ	
	'ʌn'ɒltərəbḷ	
unalterably	'ʌn'ɔ·ltərəblɪ	
	'ʌn'ɒltərəblɪ	
unaltered	'ʌn'ɔ·ltəd, 'ʌn'ɒltəd	'ʌn'ɔ·ltəd
unanimous	jun'ænɪməs	
unanimously	jun'ænɪməslɪ	
unanswerable	'ʌn'ɑ·nsərəbḷ	'ʌn'a·nsərəbḷ
unasked	'ʌn'ɑ·skt	'ʌn'a·skt
unassisted	'ʌnə'sɪstɪd	
unassuming	'ʌnə'sju·mɪŋ	
unattractive	'ʌnə'træktɪv	
unauthorized	'ʌn'ɔ·θəraɪzd	
unavailing	'ʌnə'veɪlɪŋ	
unavoidable	'ʌnə'vɔɪdəbḷ	
unavoidably	'ʌnə'vɔɪdəblɪ	
unaware	'ʌnə'wɛə(r	'ʌnə'wɛə
unbalance	'ʌn'bæləns	
unbalanced	'ʌn'bæləns	
unbearable	ʌn'bɛərəbḷ	ʌn'bɛ·rəbḷ
unbearably	ʌn'bɛərəblɪ	ʌn'bɛ·rəblɪ
unbeaten	'ʌn'bi·tṇ	
unbecoming	'ʌnbɪ'kʌmɪŋ	
unbelievable	'ʌnbɪ'li·vəbḷ	
unbiassed	'ʌn'baɪəst	
unbolt	'ʌn'boʊlt	
unbolts	'ʌn'boʊlts	
unbolted	'ʌn'boʊltɪd	
unbolting	'ʌn'boʊltɪŋ	
unbound	'ʌn'baʊnd	
unbroken	'ʌn'broʊkən	
unbusiness-like	'ʌn'bɪznɪslaɪk	
unbutton	'ʌn'bʌtṇ	
unbuttons	'ʌn'bʌtṇz	
unbuttoned	'ʌn'bʌtṇd	

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unbuttoning	ˈʌnˈbʌtnɪŋ ˈʌnˈbʌtn̩ɪŋ	
uncalled (*for*)	ʌnˈkɔːld	
uncertain	ʌnˈsɜːtən	ʌnˈsəətən
uncertainty	ʌnˈsɜːtəntɪ	ʌnˈsəətəntɪ
unchallenged	ˈʌnˈtʃælɪnʤd	
unchangeable	ˈʌnˈtʃeɪnʤəbl̩	
uncharitable	ˈʌnˈtʃærɪtəbl̩	
uncharitably	ˈʌnˈtʃærɪtəblɪ	
uncivilized	ˈʌnˈsɪvɪlaɪzd	
uncle	ˈʌŋkl̩	
uncles	ˈʌŋkl̩z	
uncomfortable	ˈʌnˈkʌmfətəbl̩	ˈʌnˈkʌmfətəbl̩
uncomfortably	ˈʌnˈkʌmfətəblɪ	ˈʌnˈkʌmfətəblɪ
uncommon	ʌnˈkɒmən	ʌnˈkɑmən
uncommonly	ʌnˈkɒmənlɪ	ʌnˈkɑmənlɪ
uncommunicative	ˈʌnkəˈmjuːnɪkətɪv ˈʌnkəˈmjuːnɪkeɪtɪv	
uncomplaining	ˈʌnkəmˈpleɪnɪŋ	
uncomplainingly	ˈʌnkəmˈpleɪnɪŋlɪ	
uncomplimentary	ˈʌnkɒmplɪˈmɛntərɪ	ˈʌnkɑmplɪˈmɛntərɪ
uncompromising	ʌnˈkɒmprəmaɪzɪŋ	ʌnˈkɑmprəmaɪzɪŋ
unconcern	ˈʌnkənˈsɜːn	ˈʌnkənˈsəən
unconcerned	ˈʌnkənˈsɜːnd	ˈʌnkənˈsəənd
unconditional	ˈʌnkənˈdɪʃənl̩	
unconditionally	ˈʌnkənˈdɪʃənəlɪ	
unconnected	ˈʌnkəˈnɛktɪd	
unconscious	ˈʌnˈkɒnʃəs	ˈʌnˈkɑnʃəs
unconsciously	ˈʌnˈkɒnʃəslɪ	ˈʌnˈkɑnʃəslɪ
unconsciousness	ˈʌnˈkɒnʃəsnɪs	ˈʌnˈkɑnʃəsnɪs
uncooked	ˈʌnˈkʊkt	
uncorrected	ˈʌnkəˈrɛktɪd	
uncover	ˈʌnˈkʌvə(r	ˈʌnˈkʌvə
uncovers	ˈʌnˈkʌvəz	ˈʌnˈkʌvəz
uncovered	ˈʌnˈkʌvəd	ˈʌnˈkʌvəd
uncovering	ˈʌnˈkʌvərɪŋ	
undamaged	ˈʌnˈdæmɪʤd	
undeceive	ˈʌndɪˈsiːv	
undeceives	ˈʌndɪˈsiːvz	
undeceived	ˈʌndɪˈsiːvd	
undeceiving	ˈʌndɪˈsiːvɪŋ	
undecided	ˈʌndɪˈsaɪdɪd	
undefinable	ˈʌndɪˈfaɪnəbl̩	
under	ˈʌndə(r	ˈʌndə
underclothing	ˈʌndəkloʊðɪŋ	ˈʌndəkloʊðɪŋ
underestimate, *verb*	ˈʌndəˈrɛstɪmeɪt	
underestimates	ˈʌndəˈrɛstɪmeɪts	

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underestimated	ˈʌndəˈrɛstɪmeɪtɪd	
underestimating	ˈʌndəˈrɛstɪmeɪtɪŋ	
undergo	ʌndəˈgoʊ	ʌndəˈgoʊ
undergoes	ʌndəˈgoʊz	ʌndəˈgoʊz
underwent	ʌndəˈwɛnt	ʌndəˈwɛnt
undergone	ʌndəˈgɒn	ʌndəˈgɒn
	ʌndəˈgɔːn	ʌndəˈgɔːn
undergoing	ʌndəˈgoʊɪŋ	ʌndəˈgoʊɪŋ
underground, *noun*	ˈʌndəgraʊnd	ˈʌndəgraʊnd
underground, *adv.*	ˈʌndəˈgraʊnd	ˈʌndəˈgraʊnd
underlie	ˈʌndəˈlaɪ	ˈʌndəˈlaɪ
underlies	ˈʌndəˈlaɪz	ˈʌndəˈlaɪz
underlay	ˈʌndəˈleɪ	ˈʌndəˈleɪ
underlain	ˈʌndəˈleɪn	ˈʌndəˈleɪn
underlying	ˈʌndəˈlaɪɪŋ	ˈʌndəˈlaɪɪŋ
underline, *noun*	ˈʌndəlaɪn	ˈʌndəlaɪn
underlines	ˈʌndəlaɪnz	ˈʌndəlaɪnz
underline, *verb*	ˈʌndəˈlaɪn	ˈʌndəˈlaɪn
underlines	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnz	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnz
underlined	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnd	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnd
underlining	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnɪŋ	ˈʌndəˈlaɪnɪŋ
undermentioned	ˈʌndəˈmɛnʃənd	ˈʌndəˈmɛnʃənd
underneath	ˈʌndəˈniːθ	ˈʌndəˈniːθ
understand	ʌndəˈstænd	ʌndəˈstænd
understands	ʌndəˈstændz	ʌndəˈstændz
understood	ʌndəˈstʊd	ʌndəˈstʊd
understanding	ʌndəˈstændɪŋ	ʌndəˈstændɪŋ
understandable	ʌndəˈstændəbl̩	ʌndəˈstændəbl̩
undertake	ʌndəˈteɪk	ʌndəˈteɪk
undertakes	ʌndəˈteɪks	ʌndəˈteɪks
undertook	ʌndəˈtʊk	ʌndəˈtʊk
undertaken	ʌndəˈteɪkən	ʌndəˈteɪkən
undertaking	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋ	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋ
undertaking	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋ	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋ
undertakings	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋz	ʌndəˈteɪkɪŋz
UNDERWENT *from* undergo	ˈʌndəˈwɛnt	ˈʌndəˈwɛnt
undeserved	ˈʌndɪˈzɜːvd	ˈʌndɪˈzɜəvd
undeserving	ˈʌndɪˈzɜːvɪŋ	ˈʌndɪˈzɜəvɪŋ
undesirability	ˈʌndɪzaɪərəˈbɪlɪtɪ	ˈʌndɪzaɪrəˈbɪlɪtɪ
undesirable	ˈʌndɪˈzaɪərəbl̩	ˈʌndɪˈzaɪrəbl̩
undeveloped	ˈʌndɪˈvɛləpt	
UNDID *from* undo	ˈʌnˈdɪd	
undigested	ˈʌndɪˈdʒɛstɪd	
	ˈʌndaɪˈdʒɛstɪd	
undignified	ˈʌnˈdɪgnɪfaɪd	
undiscovered	ˈʌndɪsˈkʌvəd	ˈʌndɪsˈkʌvəd

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undisturbed	ˈʌndɪsˈtɜːbd	ˈʌndɪsˈtɜəbd
undo	ˈʌnˈduː	
undoes	ˈʌnˈdʌz	
undid	ˈʌnˈdɪd	
undone	ˈʌnˈdʌn	
undoing	ˈʌnˈduːɪŋ	
undoubted	ʌnˈdaʊtɪd	
undoubtedly	ʌnˈdaʊtɪdlɪ	
undress	ˈʌnˈdrɛs	
undresses	ˈʌnˈdrɛsɪz	
undressed	ˈʌnˈdrɛst	
undressing	ˈʌnˈdrɛsɪŋ	
undue	ˈʌnˈdjuː	
unduly	ˈʌnˈdjuːlɪ	
uneasiness	ˈʌnˈiːzɪnɪs	
uneasy	ˈʌnˈiːzɪ	
uneaten	ˈʌnˈiːtn̩	
uneducated	ˈʌnˈɛdjʊkeɪtɪd	
	ˈʌnˈɛʤʊkeɪtɪd	
unemployed	ˈʌnɪmˈplɔɪd	
unemployment	ˈʌnɪmˈplɔɪmənt	
unending	ˈʌnˈɛndɪŋ	
unendurable	ˈʌnɪnˈdjʊərəbl̩	ˈʌnɪnˈdjʊːrəbl̩
	ˈʌnɪnˈdjɔərəbl̩	
unequal	ˈʌnˈiːkwəl	
unequally	ˈʌnˈiːkwəlɪ	
uneven	ˈʌnˈiːvn̩	
unevenly	ˈʌnˈiːvn̩lɪ	
uneventful	ˈʌnɪˈvɛntfʊl	
unexpected	ˈʌnɪksˈpɛktɪd	
unexpectedly	ˈʌnɪksˈpɛktɪdlɪ	
unexplained	ˈʌnɪksˈpleɪnd	
unexplored	ˈʌnɪksˈplɔːd	ˈʌnɪksˈploəd
	ˈʌnɪksˈplɔəd	
unfailing	ʌnˈfeɪlɪŋ	
unfair	ˈʌnˈfɛə(r	ˈʌnˈfɛə
unfairly	ˈʌnˈfɛəlɪ	ˈʌnˈfɛəlɪ
unfairness	ˈʌnˈfɛənɪs	ˈʌnˈfɛənɪs
unfaithful	ˈʌnˈfeɪθfʊl	
unfaithfully	ˈʌnˈfeɪθfʊlɪ	
	ˈʌnˈfeɪθfəlɪ	
unfamiliar	ˈʌnfəˈmɪljə(r	ˈʌnfəˈmɪljə
unfashionable	ˈʌnˈfæʃənəbl̩	
unfasten	ˈʌnˈfɑːsn̩	ˈʌnˈfaːsn̩
unfastens	ˈʌnˈfɑːsn̩z	ˈʌnˈfaːsn̩z
unfastened	ˈʌnˈfɑːsn̩d	ˈʌnˈfaːsn̩d
unfastening	ˈʌnˈfɑːsnɪŋ	ˈʌnˈfaːsnɪŋ

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unfinished	ˈʌnˈfɪnɪʃt	
unfit	ˈʌnˈfɪt	
unfix	ˈʌnˈfɪks	
unfixes	ˈʌnˈfɪksɪz	
unfixed	ˈʌnˈfɪkst	
unfixing	ˈʌnˈfɪksɪŋ	
unforeseen	ˈʌnfɔˈsiːn	ˈʌnfoəˈsiːn
unfortunate	ʌnˈfɔːtʃənɪt	ʌnˈfɔətʃənɪt
unfortunately	ʌnˈfɔːtʃənɪtlɪ	ʌnˈfɔətʃənɪtlɪ
unfriendly	ˈʌnˈfrɛndlɪ	
unfurnished	ˈʌnˈfɜːnɪʃt	ˈʌnˈfɜənɪʃt
ungraceful	ˈʌnˈgreɪsfʊl	
ungracefully	ˈʌnˈgreɪsfʊlɪ	
	ˈʌnˈgreɪsfəlɪ	
ungracious	ˈʌnˈgreɪʃəs	
ungraciously	ˈʌnˈgreɪʃəslɪ	
ungrammatical	ˈʌngrəˈmætɪkəl	
ungrammatically	ˈʌngrəˈmætɪkəlɪ	
ungrateful	ˈʌnˈgreɪtfʊl	
ungratefully	ʌnˈgreɪtfʊlɪ	
	ʌnˈgreɪtfəlɪ	
unguarded	ˈʌnˈgɑːdɪd	ˈʌnˈgɑədɪd
unhappily	ˈʌnˈhæpɪlɪ	
unhappiness	ˈʌnˈhæpɪnɪs	
unhappy	ˈʌnˈhæpɪ	
unhappier	ˈʌnˈhæpɪə(r	ˈʌnˈhæpɪə
unhappiest	ˈʌnˈhæpɪst	
unhealthy	ˈʌnˈhɛlθɪ	
unheard-of	ʌnˈhɜːdɒv	ʌnˈhɜədɑv
unhesitating	ʌnˈhɛzɪteɪtɪŋ	
unhesitatingly	ʌnˈhɛzɪteɪtɪŋlɪ	
unhoped (*for*)	ʌnˈhoʊpt	
unhurt	ˈʌnˈhɜːt	ˈʌnˈhɜət
unification	jʊnɪfɪˈkeɪʃən	
unifications	jʊnɪfɪˈkeɪʃənz	
uniform	ˈjuːnɪfɔm	ˈjuːnɪfɔəm
uniforms	ˈjuːnɪfɔmz	ˈjuːnɪfɔəmz
uniformly	ˈjuːnɪfɔmlɪ	ˈjuːnɪfɔəmlɪ
uniformity	jʊnɪˈfɔːmɪtɪ	jʊnɪˈfɔəmɪtɪ
unify	ˈjuːnɪfaɪ	
unifies	ˈjuːnɪfaɪz	
unified	ˈjuːnɪfaɪd	
unifying	ˈjuːnɪfaɪɪŋ	
unimaginable	ˈʌnɪˈmædʒɪnəbl̩	
unimaginative	ˈʌnɪˈmædʒɪnətɪv	
uninfluenced	ˈʌnˈɪnflʊənst	
uninhabitable	ˈʌnɪnˈhæbɪtəbl̩	

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uninhabited	ˈʌnɪnˈhæbɪtɪd	
uninjured	ˈʌnˈɪnʤəd	ˈʌnˈɪnʤəd
unintelligible	ˈʌnɪnˈtɛlɪʤɪbḷ	
unintentional	ˈʌnɪnˈtɛnʃənḷ	
unintentionally	ˈʌnɪnˈtɛnʃənəlɪ	
uninterested	ˈʌnˈɪntrɪstɪd	
uninteresting	ˈʌnˈɪntrɪstɪŋ	
uninterrupted	ˈʌnɪntəˈrʌptɪd	
uninvited	ˈʌnɪnˈvaɪtɪd	
union	ˈjuːnjən	
unions	ˈjuːnjənz	
unique	juˈniːk	
uniquely	juˈniːklɪ	
uniqueness	juˈniːknɪs	
unit	ˈjuːnɪt	
units	ˈjuːnɪts	
unite	juˈnaɪt	
unites	juˈnaɪts	
united	juˈnaɪtɪd	
uniting	juˈnaɪtɪŋ	
unity	ˈjuːnɪtɪ	
universal	junɪˈvɜːsəl	junɪˈvɜəsəl
universally	junɪˈvɜːsəlɪ	junɪˈvɜəsəlɪ
universe	ˈjuːnɪvɜs	ˈjuːnɪvɜəs
university	junɪˈvɜːsɪtɪ	junɪˈvɜəsɪtɪ
universities	junɪˈvɜːsɪtɪz	junɪˈvɜəsɪtɪz
unjust	ˈʌnˈʤʌst	
unjustifiable	ˈʌnˈʤʌstɪfaɪəbḷ	
	ˈʌnʤʌstɪˈfaɪəbḷ	
unjustly	ˈʌnˈʤʌstlɪ	
unjustness	ˈʌnˈʤʌstnɪs	
unkind	ˈʌnˈkaɪnd	
unkindly	ˈʌnˈkaɪndlɪ	
unkindness	ˈʌnˈkaɪndnɪs	
unknowingly	ˈʌnˈnoʊɪŋlɪ	
unknown	ˈʌnˈnoʊn	
unlawful	ˈʌnˈlɔːful	
unlawfully	ˈʌnˈlɔːfulɪ, ˈʌnˈlɔːfəlɪ	
unless	ənˈlɛs, ʌnˈlɛs	
unlike	ˈʌnˈlaɪk	
unlikely	ˈʌnˈlaɪklɪ	
unlimited	ˈʌnˈlɪmɪtɪd	
unload	ˈʌnˈloʊd	
unloads	ˈʌnˈloʊdz	
unloaded	ˈʌnˈloʊdɪd	
unloading	ˈʌnˈloʊdɪŋ	
unlock	ˈʌnˈlɒk	ˈʌnˈlɑk

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unlocks	ˈʌnˈlɒks	ˈʌnˈlɑks
unlocked	ˈʌnˈlɒkt	ˈʌnˈlɑkt
unlocking	ˈʌnˈlɒkɪŋ	ˈʌnˈlɑkɪŋ
unlucky	ˈʌnˈlʌkɪ	
unluckier	ˈʌnˈlʌkɪə(r	ˈʌnˈlʌkɪə
unluckiest	ˈʌnˈlʌkɪst	
unluckily	ˈʌnˈlʌkɪlɪ	
unmanageable	ˈʌnˈmænɪʤəbl̩	
unmarried	ˈʌnˈmærɪd	
unmerciful	ʌnˈmɜːsɪfʊl	ʌnˈmɜəsɪfʊl
unmercifully	ʌnˈmɜːsɪfʊlɪ	ʌnˈmɜəsɪfʊlɪ
	ʌnˈmɜːsɪfəlɪ	ʌnˈmɜəsɪfəlɪ
unmethodical	ˈʌnmɪˈθɒdɪkəl	ˈʌnmɪˈθɑdɪkəl
unmindful	ʌnˈm̩aɪnd*d*fʊl	
unmistakable	ˈʌnmɪsˈteɪkəbl̩	
unmistakably	ˈʌnmɪsˈteɪkəblɪ	
unmixed	ˈʌnˈmɪkst	
unmodified	ˈʌnˈmɒdɪfaɪd	ˈʌnˈmɑdɪfaɪd
unmov(e)able	ˈʌnˈmuːvəbl̩	
unmusical	ˈʌnˈmjuːzɪkəl	
unnatural	ˈʌnˈnæʧərəl	
	ˈʌnˈnæʧʊrəl	
unnaturally	ˈʌnˈnæʧərəlɪ	
	ˈʌnˈnæʧʊrəlɪ	
unnecessarily	ˈʌnˈnɛsɪsərɪlɪ	ˈʌnˈnɛsɪsɛrɪlɪ
unnecessary	ˈʌnˈnɛsɪsərɪ	ˈʌnˈnɛsɪsɛrɪ
unnoticed	ˈʌnˈnoʊtɪst	
unobjectionable	ˈʌnəbˈʤɛkʃnəbl̩	
unobserved	ˈʌnəbˈzɜːvd	ˈʌnəbˈzɜəvd
unoccupied	ˈʌnˈɒkjʊpaɪd	ˈʌnˈɑkjʊpaɪd
unofficial	ˈʌnəˈfɪʃəl	
unopened	ˈʌnˈoʊpənd	
unopposed	ˈʌnəˈpoʊzd	
unorganized	ˈʌnˈɔːgənaɪzd	ˈʌnˈɔəgənaɪzd
unpack	ˈʌnˈpæk	
unpacks	ˈʌnˈpæks	
unpacked	ˈʌnˈpækt	
unpacking	ˈʌnˈpækɪŋ	
unpaid	ˈʌnˈpeɪd	
unpardonable	ˈʌnˈpɑːdnəbl̩	ˈʌnˈpɑədnəbl̩
unpatriotic	ˈʌnpætrɪˈɒtɪk	ˈʌnpætrɪˈɑtɪk
	ˈʌnpeɪtrɪˈɒtɪk	ˈʌnpeɪtrɪˈɑtɪk
unpleasant	ˈʌnˈplɛzn̩t	
unpleasantly	ʌnˈplɛzn̩tlɪ	
unpleasantness	ʌnˈplɛzn̩tnɪs	
unpopular	ˈʌnˈpɒpjʊlə(r	ˈʌnˈpɑpjʊlə
unpopularity	ˈʌnpɒpjʊˈlærɪtɪ	ˈʌnpɑpjʊˈlærɪtɪ

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unpractical	ˈʌnˈpræktɪkəl	
unprejudiced	ˈʌnˈprɛʤʊdɪst	
unprepared	ˈʌnprɪˈpɛəd	ˈʌnprɪˈpɛəd
unproductive	†ˈʌnprəˈdʌktɪv	
unprofitable	ˈʌnˈprɒfɪtəbl̩	ˈʌnˈprɑfɪtəbl̩
unprovided (*for*)	†ˈʌnprəˈvaɪdɪd	
unpublished	ˈʌnˈpʌblɪʃt	
unpunctual	ˈʌnˈpʌŋ̊ktjʊəl	
unpunished	ˈʌnˈpʌnɪʃt	
unqualified	ʌnˈkwɒlɪfaɪd	ʌnˈkwɑlɪfaɪd
unreadable	ˈʌnˈriːdəbl̩	
unreal	ˈʌnˈriːəl, ˈʌnˈrɪəl	
unreasonable	ˈʌnˈriːznəbl̩	
	ˈʌnˈriːzn̩əbl̩	
unreasoning	ˈʌnˈriːzn̩ɪŋ	
	ˈʌnˈriːznɪŋ	
unrecognizable	ˈʌnˈrɛkəgnaɪzəbl̩	
unrecorded	ˈʌnrɪˈkɔːdɪd	ˈʌnrɪˈkɔədɪd
unrelated	ˈʌnrɪˈleɪtɪd	
unreliable	ˈʌnrɪˈlaɪəbl̩	
unresisting	ˈʌnrɪˈzɪstɪŋ	
unrestricted	ˈʌnrɪˈstrɪktɪd	
unrewarded	ˈʌnrɪˈwɔːdɪd	ˈʌnrɪˈwɔədɪd
unripe	ˈʌnˈraɪp	
unroll	ˈʌnˈrʊʊl	
unrolls	ˈʌnˈrʊʊlz	
unrolled	ˈʌnˈrʊʊld	
unrolling	ˈʌnˈrʊʊlɪŋ	
unsafe	ˈʌnˈseɪf	
unsaid	ˈʌnˈsɛd	
unsanitary	ˈʌnˈsænɪtərɪ	ˈʌnˈsænɪtɛrɪ
unsatisfactorily	ˈʌnsætɪsˈfæktərɪlɪ	
unsatisfactory	ˈʌnsætɪsˈfæktərɪ	
unsatisfied	ˈʌnˈsætɪsfaɪd	
unscrew	ˈʌnˈskruː	
unscrews	ˈʌnˈskruːz	
unscrewed	ˈʌnˈskruːd	
unscrewing	ˈʌnˈskruːɪŋ	
unscrupulous	ˈʌnˈskruːpjʊləs	
	ˈʌnˈskruːpjələs	
unseasonable	ˈʌnˈsiːznəbl̩	
	ˈʌnˈsiːzn̩əbl̩	
unseaworthy	ˈʌnˈsiːwəðɪ	ˈʌnˈsiːwəəðɪ
unsecured	ˈʌnsɪˈkjʊəd	ˈʌnsɪˈkjʊəd
	ˈʌnsɪˈkjɔəd	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv in Introduction.

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unseen	ˈʌnˈsiːn	
unselfish	ˈʌnˈsɛlfɪʃ	
unselfishly	ˈʌnˈsɛlfɪʃlɪ	
unselfishness	ˈʌnˈsɛlfɪʃnɪs	
unsettle	ˈʌnˈsɛt̩l	
unsettles	ˈʌnˈsɛt̩lz	
unsettled	ˈʌnˈsɛt̩ld	
unsettling	ˈʌnˈsɛt̩lɪŋ	
	ˈʌnˈsɛtlɪŋ	
unshaken	ˈʌnˈʃeɪkən	
unsightly	ʌnˈsaɪtlɪ	
unskilful	ˈʌnˈskɪlful	
unskilfully	ˈʌnˈskɪlfulɪ	
	ˈʌn̩ˈskɪlfəlɪ	
unskilled	ˈʌnˈskɪld	
unsold	ˈʌnˈsoʊld	
unsolicited	†ˈʌnsəˈlɪsɪtɪd	
unsound	ˈʌnˈsaʊnd	
unspecified	ˈʌnˈspɛsɪfaɪd	
unspoiled	ˈʌnˈspɔɪld, ˈʌnˈspɔɪlt	
unspoilt	ˈʌnˈspɔɪlt	
unspoken	ˈʌnˈspoʊkən	
unstable	ˈʌnˈsteɪb̩l	
unstamped	ˈʌnˈstæm*p*t	
unsteadily	ˈʌnˈstɛdɪlɪ	
unsteadiness	ˈʌnˈstɛdɪnɪs	
unsteady	ˈʌnˈstɛdɪ	
unstressed	ˈʌnˈstrɛst	
unsubstantial	ˈʌnsəbˈstænʃəl	
unsuccessful	ˈʌnsəkˈsɛsful	
unsuccessfully	ˈʌnsəkˈsɛsfulɪ	
	ˈʌnsəkˈsɛsfəlɪ	
unsuitable	ˈʌnˈsj*u*ːtəb̩l	
unsuitably	ˈʌnˈsj*u*ːtəblɪ	
unsuited	ˈʌn̩ˈsj*u*ːtɪd	
unsupported	ˈʌnsəˈpɔːtɪd	ˈʌnsəˈpoətɪd
unsuspected	ˈʌnsəsˈpɛktɪd	
unsuspecting	ˈʌnsəsˈpɛktɪŋ	
unsuspicious	ˈʌnsəsˈpɪʃəs	
unsympathetic	ˈʌnsɪmpəˈθɛtɪk	
unsympathetically	ˈʌnsɪmpəˈθɛtɪkəlɪ	
unsystematic	ˈʌnsɪstɪˈmætɪk	
unsystematically	ˈʌnsɪstɪˈmætɪkəlɪ	
untasted	ˈʌnˈteɪstɪd	
untaught	ˈʌnˈtɔːt	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv in Introduction.

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unthankful	ˈʌnˈθæŋkfʊl	
unthinkable	ʌnˈθɪŋkəbl̩	
unthinking	ˈʌnˈθɪŋkɪŋ	
unthinkingly	ˈʌnˈθɪŋkɪŋlɪ	
untidily	ˈʌnˈtaɪdɪlɪ	
untidy	ˈʌnˈtaɪdɪ	
untidier	ˈʌnˈtaɪdɪə(r	ˈʌnˈtaɪdɪə
untidiest	ˈʌnˈtaɪdɪɪst	
untie	ʌnˈtaɪ	
unties	ʌnˈtaɪz	
untied	ʌnˈtaɪd	
untying	ʌnˈtaɪɪŋ	
until	ənˈtɪl, ʌnˈtɪl	
untouched	ˈʌnˈtʌʧt	
untrained	ˈʌnˈtreɪnd	
untried	ˈʌnˈtraɪd	
untrodden	ˈʌnˈtrɒdn̩	ˈʌnˈtrɑdn̩
untrue	ˈʌnˈtruˑ	
untrustworthiness	ˈʌnˈtrʌstwɜːðɪnɪs	ˈʌnˈtrʌstwəəðɪnɪs
untrustworthy	ˈʌnˈtrʌstwɜːðɪ	ˈʌnˈtrʌstwəəðɪ
untruth	ˈʌnˈtruˑθ	
untruths	ˈʌnˈtruˑðz	
	ˈʌnˈtruˑθs	
untruthful	ˈʌnˈtruˑθfʊl	
untruthfully	ˈʌnˈtruˑθfʊlɪ	
	ˈʌnˈtruˑθfəlɪ	
unused, *not made use of*	ˈʌnˈjuˑzd	
unused, *not accustomed*	ˈʌnˈjuˑst	
unusual	ˈʌnˈjuˑʒʊəl	
	ˈʌnˈjuˑʒəl	
unusually	ˈʌnˈjuˑʒʊəlɪ	
	ˈʌnˈjuˑʒəlɪ	
unwanted	ˈʌnˈwɒntɪd	
unwarranted	ʌnˈwɒrəntɪd	
unwelcome	ˈʌnˈwɛlkəm	
unwholesome	ˈʌnˈhʊlsəm	
unwilling	ˈʌnˈwɪlɪŋ	
unwillingly	ˈʌnˈwɪlɪŋlɪ	
unwillingness	ˈʌnˈwɪlɪŋnɪs	
unwise	ˈʌnˈwaɪz	
unwisely	ˈʌnˈwaɪzlɪ	
unworkable	ˈʌnˈwɜːkəbl̩	ˈʌnˈwəəkəbl̩
unworthily	ˈʌnˈwɜːðɪlɪ	ˈʌnˈwəəðɪlɪ
unworthy	ˈʌnˈwɜːðɪ	ˈʌnˈwəəðɪ
unwrap	ˈʌnˈræp	
unwraps	ˈʌnˈræps	

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unwrapped	ˈʌnˈræpt	
unwrapping	ˈʌnˈræpɪŋ	
unwritten	ˈʌnˈrɪtn̩	
up	ʌp	
upbringing	ˈʌpbrɪŋɪŋ	
upheaval	ʌpˈhiːvəl	
uphill	ˈʌpˈhɪl	
uphold	ʌpˈhoʊld	
upholds	ʌpˈhoʊldz	
upheld	ʌpˈhɛld	
upholding	ʌpˈhoʊldɪŋ	
upon	əˈpɒn	əˈpɑn
upper	ˈʌpə(r	ˈʌpə
uppermost	ˈʌpəmoʊst, ˈʌpəməst	ˈʌpəmoʊst
upright, *noun*	ˈʌpraɪt	
uprights	ˈʌpraɪts	
upright, *adj.*	ˈʌpraɪt, ˈʌpˈraɪt	
uproar	ˈʌprɔ(r, ˈʌprɔə(r	ˈʌproə
upset	ʌpˈsɛt	
upsets	ʌpˈsɛts	
upsetting	ʌpˈsɛtɪŋ	
upstairs	ˈʌpˈstɛəz	ˈʌpˈstɛəz
upward	ˈʌpwəd	ˈʌpwəd
upwards	ˈʌpwədz	ˈʌpwədz
urge	ɜːʤ	ɜəʤ
urges	ˈɜːʤɪz	ˈɜəʤɪz
urged	ɜːʤd	ɜəʤd
urging	ˈɜːʤɪŋ	ˈɜəʤɪŋ
urgent	ˈɜːʤənt	ˈɜəʤənt
urgently	ˈɜːʤəntlɪ	ˈɜəʤəntlɪ
Uruguay	ˈjuːrʊgweɪ, ˈjuːrəgweɪ juːrʊgwaɪ, juːrəgwaɪ	
us	ʌs *s.f.*, əs *w.f.*	
usable	ˈjuːzəbl̩	
usage	ˈjuːzɪʤ	
usages	ˈjuːzɪʤɪz	
use, *noun*	juːs	
use, *verb*	juːz	
uses	ˈjuːzɪz	
used	juːzd	
using	ˈjuːzɪŋ	
used, *adj. made use of*	juːzd	
used, *adj. accustomed*	juːst	
use(d)n't	ˈjuːsn*t*	
useful	ˈjuːsfʊl	
usefully	ˈjuːsfʊlɪ, ˈjuːsfəlɪ	
usefulness	ˈjuːsfʊlnɪs	

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useless	ˈjuːslɪs	
uselessly	ˈjuːslɪslɪ	
uselessness	ˈjuːslɪsnɪs	
USEN'T	ˈjuːsnt	
user	ˈjuːzə(r	ˈjuːzə
users	ˈjuːzəz	ˈjuːzəz
USES, *plur. of* use	ˈjuːsɪz	
USES *from verb* use	ˈjuːzɪz	
usual	ˈjuːʒʊəl, ˈjuːʒəl	
usually	ˈjuːʒʊəlɪ, ˈjuːʒəlɪ	
usurp	juˈzɜːp	juˈsɜəp
usurps	juˈzɜːps	juˈzɜəps
usurped	juˈzɜːpt	juˈzɜəpt
usurping	juˈzɜːpɪŋ	juˈzɜəpɪŋ
usurper	juˈzɜːpə(r	juˈzɜəpə
usurpers	juˈzɜːpəz	juˈzɜəpəz
utensil	juˈtɛnsɪl, juˈtɛnsɪl	
utensils	juˈtɛnsɪlz juˈtɛnsɪlz	
utilitarian	jutɪlɪˈtɛərɪən	jutɪlɪˈtɛːrɪən
utility	juˈtɪlɪtɪ, juˈtɪlɪtɪ	
utilization	jutɪlaɪˈzeɪʃən	
utilize	ˈjuːtɪlaɪz	
utilizes	ˈjuːtɪlaɪzɪz	
utilized	ˈjuːtɪlaɪzd	
utilizing	ˈjuːtɪlaɪzɪŋ	
utmost	ˈʌtmoʊst, ˈʌtməst	
utter	ˈʌtə(r	ˈʌtə
utters	ˈʌtəz	ˈʌtəz
uttered	ˈʌtəd	ˈʌtəd
uttering	ˈʌtərɪŋ	
utterly	ˈʌtəlɪ	ˈʌtəlɪ
uttermost	ˈʌtəmoʊst, ˈʌtəməst	ˈʌtəmoʊst, ˈʌtəməst

V

V	viː	
V's	viːz	
vacancy	ˈveɪkənsɪ	
vacancies	ˈveɪkənsɪz	
vacant	ˈveɪkənt	
vacation	vəˈkeɪʃən	veɪˈkeɪʃən
vaccinate	ˈvæksɪneɪt	
vaccinates	ˈvæksɪneɪts	
vaccinated	ˈvæksɪneɪtɪd	
vaccinating	ˈvæksɪneɪtɪŋ	

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vaccination	vækslˈneɪʃən	
vacuum	ˈvækjʊəm	
vacua	ˈvækjʊə	
vacuums	ˈvækjʊəmz	
vague	veɪg	
vaguer	ˈveɪgə(r	ˈveɪgə
vaguest	ˈveɪgɪst	
vaguely	ˈveɪglɪ	
vagueness	ˈveɪgnɪs	
vain	veɪn	
vainer	ˈveɪnə(r	ˈveɪnə
vainest	ˈveɪnɪst	
vainly	ˈveɪnlɪ	
valid	ˈvælɪd	
validity	vəˈlɪdɪtɪ, væˈlɪdɪtɪ	
valley	ˈvælɪ	
valleys	ˈvælɪz	
valour	ˈvælə(r	ˈvælə
valuable	ˈvæljʊəb|	
valuables	ˈvæljʊəb|z	
value	ˈvælju, ˈvæljʊ	
values	ˈvæljuz, ˈvæljʊz	
valued	ˈvæljud, ˈvæljʊd	
valuing	ˈvæljʊɪŋ	
valve	vælv	
valves	vælvz	
van	væn	
vans	vænz	
Vancouver	vænˈkuːvə(r	vænˈkuːvə
vanish	ˈvænɪʃ	
vanishes	ˈvænɪʃɪz	
vanished	ˈvænɪʃt	
vanishing	ˈvænɪʃɪŋ	
vanity	ˈvænɪtɪ	
vapour	ˈveɪpə(r	ˈveɪpə
vapours	ˈveɪpəz	ˈveɪpəz
variable	ˈvɛərɪəb|	ˈvɛːrɪəb|
variably	ˈvɛərɪəblɪ	ˈvɛːrɪəblɪ
variation	vɛərɪˈeɪʃən	vɛːrɪˈeɪʃən
variations	vɛərɪˈeɪʃənz	vɛːrɪˈeɪʃənz
varied	ˈvɛərɪd	ˈvɛːrɪd
variety	vəˈraɪətɪ	
varieties	vəˈraɪətɪz	
various	ˈvɛərɪəs	ˈvɛːrɪəs
variously	ˈvɛərɪəslɪ	ˈvɛːrɪəslɪ
varnish	ˈvɑːnɪʃ	ˈvɑənɪʃ
vary	ˈvɛərɪ	ˈvɛːrɪ

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varies	ˈvɛərɪz	ˈvɛˑrɪz
varied	ˈvɛərɪd	ˈvɛˑrɪd
varying	ˈvɛərɪɪŋ	ˈvɛˑrɪɪŋ
vase	vɑˑz	veɪs
vases	ˈvɑˑzɪz	ˈveɪsɪz
vast	vɑˑst	vaˑst
vastly	ˈvɑˑstlɪ	ˈvaˑstlɪ
vault	vɔˑlt, vɒlt	
vaults	vɔˑlts, vɒlts	
veal	viˑl	
vegetable	ˈvɛʤɪtəbl̩	
vegetables	ˈvɛʤɪtəbl̩z	
vehicle	ˈviˑɪkl̩, ˈviˑəkl̩	
vehicles	ˈviˑɪkl̩z, ˈviˑəkl̩z	
veil	veɪl	
veils	veɪlz	
vein	veɪn	
veins	veɪnz	
velvet	ˈvɛlvɪt	
Venezuela	vɛnɪˈzwiˑlə	
	vɛnɪzjuˈiˑlə	
	vɛneˈzweɪlə	
vengeance	ˈvɛnʤəns	
Venice	ˈvɛnɪs	
ventilate	ˈvɛntɪleɪt	
ventilates	ˈvɛntɪleɪts	
ventilated	ˈvɛntɪleɪtɪd	
ventilating	ˈvɛntɪleɪtɪŋ	
ventilation	vɛntɪˈleɪʃən	
ventilator	ˈvɛntɪleɪtə(r	ˈvɛntɪleɪtə
ventilators	ˈvɛntɪleɪtəz	ˈvɛntɪleɪtəz
venture	ˈvɛntʃə(r	ˈvɛntʃə
ventures	ˈvɛntʃəz	ˈvɛntʃəz
ventured	ˈvɛntʃəd	ˈvɛntʃəd
venturing	ˈvɛntʃərɪŋ	
verb	vɜˑb	vɜəb
verbs	vɜˑbz	vɜəbz
verbal	ˈvɜˑbəl	ˈvɜəbəl
verbally	ˈvɜˑbəlɪ	ˈvɜəbəlɪ
verdict	ˈvɜˑdɪkt	ˈvɜədɪkt
verdicts	ˈvɜˑdɪkts	ˈvɜədɪkts
verge	vɜˑʤ	vɜəʤ
verify	ˈvɛrɪfaɪ	
varifies	ˈvɛrɪfaɪz	
verified	ˈvɛrɪfaɪd	
verifying	ˈvɛrɪfaɪɪŋ	
Versailles	vɛəˈsaɪ	vɛəˈsaɪ, vəˈseɪlz

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verse	vəˈs	vəəs
verses	ˈvəˈsɪz	ˈvəəsɪz
version	ˈvəˈʃən	ˈvəəʃən
versions	ˈvəˈʃənz	ˈvəəʃənz
versus	ˈvəˈsəs	ˈvəəsəs
very	ˈvɛrɪ	
vessel	ˈvɛs|	
vessels	ˈvɛs|z	
vex	vɛks	
vexes	ˈvɛksɪz	
vexed	vɛkst	
vexing	ˈvɛksɪŋ	
via	ˈvaɪə	
vibrate	vaɪˈbreɪt	
vibrates	vaɪˈbreɪts	
vibrated	vaɪˈbreɪtɪd	
vibrating	vaɪˈbreɪtɪŋ	
vibration	vaɪˈbreɪʃən	
vibrations	vaɪˈbreɪʃənz	
vicar	ˈvɪkə(r	ˈvɪkə
vicars	ˈvɪkəz	ˈvɪkəz
vice, *noun*	vaɪs	
vices	ˈvaɪsɪz	
vice-, *prefix*	ˈvaɪs-	
vice versa	ˈvaɪsɪˈvəˈsə	ˈvaɪsɪˈvəəsə
vicious	ˈvɪʃəs	
viciously	ˈvɪʃəslɪ	
victim	ˈvɪktɪm	
victims	ˈvɪktɪmz	
victorious	vɪkˈtɔˈrɪəs	
victoriously	vɪkˈtɔˈrɪəslɪ	
victory	ˈvɪktərɪ	
victories	ˈvɪktərɪz	
vie	vaɪ	
vies	vaɪz	
vied	vaɪd	
vying	ˈvaɪɪŋ	
Vienna	vɪˈɛnə	
Viennese	viəˈniˈz, viɛˈniˈz	
view	vjuˈ	
views	vjuˈz	
viewed	vjuˈd	
viewing	ˈvjuɪŋ	
vigor (*Amer.*)	ˈvɪgə(r	ˈvɪgə
vigorous	ˈvɪgərəs	
vigorously	ˈvɪgərəslɪ	
vigour	ˈvɪgə(r	ˈvɪgə

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vile	vaɪl	
village	ˈvɪlɪʤ	
villages	ˈvɪlɪʤɪz	
vindictive	vɪnˈdɪktɪv	
vindictively	vɪnˈdɪktɪvlɪ	
vinegar	ˈvɪnɪgə(r	ˈvɪnɪgə
vineyard	ˈvɪnjəd, ˈvɪnjɑd	ˈvɪnjəd, ˈvɪnjɑəd
vineyards	ˈvɪnjədz, ˈvɪnjɑdz	ˈvɪnjədz, ˈvɪnjɑədz
violate	†ˈvaɪəleɪt	
violates	†ˈvaɪəleɪts	
violated	†ˈvaɪəleɪtɪd	
violating	†ˈvaɪəleɪtɪŋ	
violation	†vaɪəˈleɪʃən	
violations	†vaɪəˈleɪʃənz	
violence	†ˈvaɪələns	
violent	†ˈvaɪələnt	
violently	†ˈvaɪələntlɪ	
violet	†ˈvaɪəlɪt	
violets	†ˈvaɪəlɪts	
violin	†vaɪəˈlɪn	
violins	†vaɪəˈlɪnz	
violinist	†vaɪəˈlɪnɪst	
violinists	†vaɪəˈlɪnɪsts	
virgin	ˈvɜːʤɪn	ˈvɜəʤɪn
virgins	ˈvɜːʤɪnz	ˈvɜəʤɪnz
virtue	ˈvɜːtju	ˈvɜətju
virtues	ˈvɜːtjuz	ˈvɜətjuz
virtuous	ˈvɜːtjuəs	ˈvɜətjuəs
viscount	ˈvaɪkaʊnt	
viscounts	ˈvaɪkaʊnts	
visible	ˈvɪzɪbḷ	
visibly	ˈvɪzɪblɪ	
vision	ˈvɪʒən	
visions	ˈvɪʒənz	
visit	ˈvɪzɪt	
visits	ˈvɪzɪts	
visited	ˈvɪzɪtɪd	
visiting	ˈvɪzɪtɪŋ	
visitor	ˈvɪzɪtə(r	ˈvɪzɪtə
visitors	ˈvɪzɪtəz	ˈvɪzɪtəz
visual	ˈvɪʒjuəl, ˈvɪzjuəl	
visually	ˈvɪʒjuəlɪ, ˈvɪzjuəlɪ	
vital	ˈvaɪtḷ	
vitally	ˈvaɪtəlɪ	
vitality	vaɪˈtælɪtɪ	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv in Introduction.

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vivacious	vaɪ'veɪʃəs, vɪ'veɪʃəs	
vivacity	vaɪ'væsɪtɪ, vɪ'væsɪtɪ	
vivid	'vɪvɪd	
vividly	'vɪvɪdlɪ	
viz.‡	vɪ'di·lɪsɛt, vaɪ'di·lɪsɛt	
vocabulary	†və'kæbjulərɪ	†və'kæbjulɛrɪ
vocabularies	†və'kæbjulərɪz	†və'kæbjulɛrɪz
vocal	'voʊkəl	
vocation	voʊ'keɪʃən, və'keɪʃən	
vocations	voʊ'keɪʃənz	
	və'keɪʃənz	
vogue	voʊg	
voice	vɔɪs	
voices	'vɔɪsɪz	
volcanic	vɒl'kænɪk	val'kænɪk
volcano	vɒl'keɪnoʊ	val'keɪnoʊ
volcano(e)s	vɒl'keɪnoʊz	val'keɪnoʊz
volition	†vəʊ'lɪʃən	
volley	'vɒlɪ	'valɪ
volleys	'vɒlɪz	'valɪz
volleyed	'vɒlɪd	'valɪd
volleying	'vɒlɪŋ	'valɪŋ
volt	voʊlt, vɒlt	
volts	voʊlts, vɒlts	
volume	'vɒljum, 'vɒljəm	'valjum, 'valjəm
volumes	'vɒljumz, 'vɒljəmz	'valjumz, 'valjəmz
voluminous	və'ljuˈmɪnəs	
	vɒ'ljuˈmɪnəs	va'ljuˈmɪnəs
voluntarily	'vɒləntərɪlɪ	'valənterɪlɪ
voluntary	'vɒləntərɪ	'valənterɪ
volunteer	vɒlən'tɪə(r	valən'tɪə
volunteers	vɒlən'tɪəz	valən'tɪəz
volunteered	vɒlən'tɪəd	valən'tɪəd
volunteering	vɒlən'tɪərɪŋ	valən'tɪˈrɪŋ
vote	voʊt	
votes	voʊts	
voted	'voʊtɪd	
voting	'voʊtɪŋ	
voter	'voʊtə(r	'voʊtə
voters	'voʊtəz	'voʊtəz
vowel	'vaʊəl, 'vaʊɛl, 'vaʊɪl	
vowels	'vaʊəlz, 'vaʊɛlz	
	'vaʊɪlz	

† See Note 30, p. xxxv in Introduction.

‡ Most persons in reading substitute *namely* ['neɪmlɪ] for this word. It should never be read as [vɪz].

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voyage	ˈvɔɪdʒ	
voyages	ˈvɔɪdʒɪz	
vulgar	ˈvʌlgə(r	ˈvʌlgə
vulgarity	vʌlˈgærɪtɪ	
vulgarly	ˈvʌlgəlɪ	ˈvʌlgəlɪ
VYING *from* vie	ˈvaɪɪŋ	

W

W	ˈdʌbḷju	
W's	ˈdʌbḷjuz	
wade	weɪd	
wades	weɪdz	
waded	ˈweɪdɪd	
wading	ˈweɪdɪŋ	
wag	wæg	
wags	wægz	
wagged	wægd	
wagging	ˈwægɪŋ	
wage	weɪdʒ	
wages	ˈweɪdʒɪz	
waged	weɪdʒd	
waging	ˈweɪdʒɪŋ	
wager	ˈweɪdʒə(r	ˈweɪdʒə
wagers	ˈweɪdʒəz	ˈweɪdʒəz
waggon	ˈwægən	
waggons	ˈwægənz	
wagon	ˈwægən	
wagons	ˈwægənz	
waist	weɪst	
waists	weɪsts	
waistcoat	ˈwɛskət, ˈweɪsˈkout	
waistcoats	ˈwɛskəts	
	ˈweɪsˈkouts	
wait	weɪt	
waits	weɪts	
waited	ˈweɪtɪd	
waiting	ˈweɪtɪŋ	
waiter	ˈweɪtə(r	ˈweɪtə
waiters	ˈweɪtəz	ˈweɪtəz
waitress	ˈweɪtrɪs	
waitresses	ˈweɪtrɪsɪz	
wake	weɪk	
wakes	weɪks	
waked	weɪkt	
woke	wouk	

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waking	ˈweɪkɪŋ	
waken	ˈweɪkən	
wakens	ˈweɪkənz	
wakened	ˈweɪkənd	
wakening	ˈweɪkənɪŋ	
Wales	weɪlz	
walk	wɔˑk	
walks	wɔˑks	
walked	wɔˑkt	
walking	ˈwɔˑkɪŋ	
walker	ˈwɔˑkə(r	ˈwɔˑkə
walkers	ˈwɔˑkəz	ˈwɔˑkəz
wall	wɔˑl	
walls	wɔˑlz	
walnut	ˈwɔˑlnʌt, ˈwɔˑlnət	
walnuts	ˈwɔˑlnʌts	
	ˈwɔˑlnəts	
Walter	ˈwɔˑltə(r, ˈwɒltə(r	ˈwɔˑltə, ˈwɑltə
wander	ˈwɒndə(r	ˈwɑndə
wanders	ˈwɒndəz	ˈwɑndəz
wandered	ˈwɒndəd	ˈwɑndəd
wandering	ˈwɒndərɪŋ	ˈwɑndərɪŋ
wanderer	ˈwɒndərə(r	ˈwɑndərə
wanderers	ˈwɒndərəz	ˈwɑndərəz
want	wɒnt	wɑnt
wants	wɒnts	wɑnts
wanted	ˈwɒntɪd	ˈwɑntɪd
wanting	ˈwɒntɪŋ	ˈwɑntɪŋ
war	wɔˑ(r, wɔə(r	wɔə
wars	wɔˑz, wɔəz	wɔəz
wardrobe	ˈwɔˑdroʊb	ˈwɔədroʊb
wardrobes	ˈwɔˑdroʊbz	ˈwɔədroʊbz
warehouse	ˈwɛəhaʊs	ˈwɛəhaʊs
warehouses	ˈwɛəhaʊzɪz	ˈwɛəhaʊzɪz
warm	wɔˑm	wɔəm
warmer	ˈwɔˑmə(r	ˈwɔəmə
warmest	ˈwɔˑmɪst	ˈwɔəmɪst
warmly	ˈwɔˑmlɪ	ˈwɔəmlɪ
warmness	ˈwɔˑmnɪs	ˈwɔəmɪnɪs
warmth	wɔˑmɸθ	ˈwɔəmɸθ
warn	wɔˑn	wɔən
warns	wɔˑnz	wɔənz
warned	wɔˑnd	wɔənd
warning	ˈwɔˑnɪŋ	ˈwɔənɪŋ
warnings	ˈwɔˑnɪŋz	ˈwɔənɪŋz
warningly	ˈwɔˑnɪŋlɪ	ˈwɔənɪŋlɪ
warrant	ˈwɒrənt	ˈwɑrənt

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warrants	ˈwɒrənts	ˈwɑrənts
warranted	ˈwɒrəntɪd	ˈwɑrəntɪd
warranting	ˈwɒrəntɪŋ	ˈwɑrəntɪŋ
Warsaw	ˈwɔːsɔ	ˈwɔɔsɔ
was *from* be	wɒz *s.f.*, wəz *w.f.*	wɑz
wash	wɒʃ	wɑʃ
washes	ˈwɒʃɪz	ˈwɑʃɪz
washed	wɒʃt	wɑʃt
washing	ˈwɒʃɪŋ	ˈwɑʃɪŋ
Washington	ˈwɒʃɪŋtən	ˈwɑʃɪŋtən
wasp	wɒsp	wɑsp
wasps	wɒsps	wɑsps
waste	weɪst	
wastes	weɪsts	
wasted	ˈweɪstɪd	
wasting	ˈweɪstɪŋ	
wasteful	ˈweɪstfʊl	
wastefully	ˈweɪstfʊlɪ, ˈweɪstfəlɪ	
watch	wɒʧ	wɑʧ
watches	ˈwɒʧɪz	ˈwɑʧɪz
watched	wɒʧt	wɑʧt
watching	ˈwɒʧɪŋ	ˈwɑʧɪŋ
watchful	ˈwɒʧfʊl	ˈwɑʧfʊl
water	ˈwɔːtə(r	ˈwɔːtə
waters	ˈwɔːtəz	ˈwɔːtəz
watered	ˈwɔːtəd	ˈwɔːtəd
watering	ˈwɔːtərɪŋ	
waterproof	ˈwɔːtəpruf	ˈwɔːtəpruf
waterproofs	ˈwɔːtəprufs	ˈwɔːtəprufs
wave	weɪv	
waves	weɪvz	
waved	weɪvd	
waving	ˈweɪvɪŋ	
wavy	ˈweɪvɪ	
wax	wæks	
way	weɪ	
ways	weɪz	
waylay	weɪˈleɪ	
waylays	weɪˈleɪz	
waylaid	weɪˈleɪd	
waylaying	weɪˈleɪɪŋ	
we	wiˈ, *normal form*	
	wi, wɪ *w.fs.*	
weak	wiːk	
weaker	ˈwiːkə(r	ˈwiːkə
weakest	ˈwiːkɪst	
weaken	ˈwiːkən	

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weakens	ˈwiːkənz	
weakened	ˈwiːkənd	
weakening	ˈwiːkənɪŋ	
weakly	ˈwiːklɪ	
wealth	wɛlθ	
wealthy	ˈwɛlθɪ	
wealthier	ˈwɛlθɪə(r	ˈwɛlθɪə
wealthiest	ˈwɛlθɪst	
weapon	ˈwɛpən	
weapons	ˈwɛpənz	
wear	wɛə(r	wɛə
wears	wɛəz	wɛəz
wore	wɔː(r, wɔə(r	woə
worn	wɔːn	woən
wearing	ˈwɛərɪŋ	ˈwɛːrɪŋ
wearer	ˈwɛərə(r	ˈwɛːrə
wearers	ˈwɛərəz	ˈwɛːrəz
weather	ˈwɛðə(r	ˈwɛðə
weathers	ˈwɛðəz	ˈwɛðəz
weave	wiːv	
weaves	wiːvz	
wove	woʊv	
woven	ˈwoʊvən	
weaving	ˈwiːvɪŋ	
weaver	ˈwiːvə(r	ˈwiːvə
weavers	ˈwiːvəz	ˈwiːvəz
wedding	ˈwɛdɪŋ	
weddings	ˈwɛdɪŋz	
wedge	wɛʤ	
wedges	ˈwɛʤɪz	
wedged	wɛʤd	
wedging	ˈwɛʤɪŋ	
Wednesday	ˈwɛnzdɪ	
Wednesdays	ˈwɛnzdɪz	
weed	wiːd	
weeds	wiːdz	
weeded	ˈwiːdɪd	
weeding	ˈwiːdɪŋ	
week	wiːk	
weeks	wiːks	
weekly	ˈwiːklɪ	
weigh	weɪ	
weighs	weɪz	
weighed	weɪd	
weighing	ˈweɪɪŋ	
weight	weɪt	
weights	weɪts	

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weird	wɪəd	wɪəd
welcome	ˈwɛlkəm	
welcomes	ˈwɛlkəmz	
welcomed	ˈwɛlkəmd	
welcoming	ˈwɛlkəmɪŋ	
welfare	ˈwɛlfɛə(r	ˈwɛlfɛə
well	wɛl	
wells	wɛlz	
well-to-do	ˈwɛltəˈduˑ	
Welsh	wɛlʃ	
Welshman	ˈwɛlʃmən	
Welshmen	ˈwɛlʃmən	
WENT *from* go	wɛnt	
WERE *from* be	wəˑ(r, wɛə(r *s.fs.*	wəə *s.f.*
	wə(r *w.f.*	wə *w.f.*
WEREN'T = were not	wəˑnt, wɛənt	wəənt
west	wɛst	
westerly	ˈwɛstəlɪ	ˈwɛstəlɪ
western	ˈwɛstən	ˈwɛstən
westerner	ˈwɛstənə(r	ˈwɛstənə
westerners	ˈwɛstənəz	ˈwɛstənəz
westward	ˈwɛstwəd	ˈwɛstwəd
westwardly	ˈwɛstwədlɪ	ˈwɛstwədlɪ
westwards	ˈwɛstwədz	ˈwɛstwədz
wet	wɛt	
wetter	ˈwɛtə(r	ˈwɛtə
wettest	ˈwɛtɪst	
wetness	ˈwɛtnɪs	
whale	*h*weɪl	
whales	*h*weɪlz	
what	*h*wɒt	hwɑt
whatever	*h*wɒtˈɛvə(r	hwɑtˈɛvə
wheat	*h*wiˑt	
wheel	*h*wiˑl	
wheels	*h*wiˑlz	
wheeled	*h*wiˑld	
wheeling	ˈ*h*wiˑlɪŋ	
when	*h*wɛn	
whenever	*h*wɛˈnɛvə(r	hwɛˈnɛvə
where	*h*wɛə(r	hwɛə
whereabouts, *noun*	ˈ*h*wɛərəbaʊts	ˈhwɛˑrəbaʊts
whereabouts, *interr.*	ˈ*h*wɛərəˈbaʊts	ˈhwɛˑrəˈbaʊts
whereas	*h*wɛəˈræz	hwɛˑræz
whereupon	*h*wɛərəˈpɒn	hwɛˑrəˈpɑn
wherever	*h*wɛəˈrɛvə(r	hwɛˑrɛvə
whether	ˈ*h*wɛðə(r	ˈhwɛðə
which	*h*wɪtʃ	

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whichever	*h*wɪ'tʃɛvə(r	hwɪ'tʃɛvə
while	*h*waɪl	
whiles	*h*waɪlz	
whiled	*h*waɪld	
whiling	'*h*waɪlɪŋ	
whip	*h*wɪp	
whips	*h*wɪps	
whipped	*h*wɪpt	
whipping	'*h*wɪpɪŋ	
whisker	'hwɪskə(r	'hwɪskə
whiskers	'hwɪskəz	'hwɪskəz
whiskey	'hwɪskɪ	
whisper	'hwɪspə(r	'hwɪspə
whispers	'hwɪspəz	'hwɪspəz
whispered	'hwɪspəd	'hwɪspəd
whispering	'hwɪspərɪŋ	
whistle	'hwɪsl̩	
whistles	'hwɪsl̩z	
whistled	'hwɪsl̩d	
whistling	'hwɪslɪŋ	
whit	*h*wɪt	
white	*h*waɪt	
whiter	'hwaɪtə(r	'hwaɪtə
whitest	'hwaɪtɪst	
whiteness	'hwaɪtnɪs	
whiten	'hwaɪtn̩	
whitens	'hwaɪtn̩z	
whitened	'hwaɪtn̩d	
whitening	'hwaɪtnɪŋ, 'hwaɪtn̩ɪŋ	
whitewash	'hwaɪtwɒʃ	'hwaɪtwɑʃ
Whitsun	'hwɪtsn̩	
Whitsunday	'hwɪt'sʌndɪ	
	'hwɪtsən'deɪ	
Whitsuntide	'hwɪtsn̩taɪd	
who, *interr.*	hu', hu	
who, *relative*	hu', *h*u	
whoever	hu'ɛvə(r	hu'ɛvə
whole	houl	
wholesale	'houl'seɪl	
wholesome	'houlsəm	
wholly	'houlɪ	
whom	hu'm, hum	
whose	hu'z	
why	*h*waɪ	
wick	wɪk	
wicks	wɪks	
wicked	'wɪkɪd	

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wickedly	ˈwɪkɪdlɪ	
wickedness	ˈwɪkɪdnɪs	
wide	waɪd	
wider	ˈwaɪdə(r	ˈwaɪdə
widest	ˈwaɪdɪst	
widely	ˈwaɪdlɪ	
widen	ˈwaɪdn̩	
widens	ˈwaɪdn̩z	
widened	ˈwaɪdn̩d	
widening	ˈwaɪdnɪŋ, ˈwaɪdn̩ɪŋ	
widow	ˈwɪdoʊ	
widows	ˈwɪdoʊz	
widowed	ˈwɪdoʊd	
wife	waɪf	
wives	waɪvz	
wild	waɪld	
wilds	waɪldz	
wilder	ˈwaɪldə(r	ˈwaɪldə
wildest	ˈwaɪldɪst	
wildly	ˈwaɪldlɪ	
wildness	ˈwaɪldnɪs	
wilful	ˈwɪlful	
wilfully	ˈwɪlfulɪ, ˈwɪlfəlɪ	
will, *noun*	wɪl	
wills	wɪlz	
will, *verb*	wɪl	
wills	wɪlz	
willed	wɪld	
willing	ˈwɪlɪŋ	
will, *auxil. verb*	wɪl *s.f.*, wəl, ḷ, l *w.fs.*	
would	wʊd *s.f.*, wəd, əd, d *w.fs.*	
William	ˈwɪljəm	
willing	ˈwɪlɪŋ	
willingly	ˈwɪlɪŋlɪ	
willingness	ˈwɪlɪŋnɪs	
win	wɪn	
wins	wɪnz	
won	wʌn	
winning	ˈwɪnɪŋ	
wind, *noun*	wɪnd	
winds	wɪndz	
wind, *verb*	waɪnd	
winds	waɪndz	
wound	waʊnd	
winding	ˈwaɪndɪŋ	
windmill	ˈwɪn*d*mɪl	

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windmills	ˈwɪn*d*mɪlz	
window	ˈwɪndoʊ	
windows	ˈwɪndoʊz	
windy	ˈwɪndɪ	
wine	waɪn	
wines	waɪnz	
wing	wɪŋ	
wings	wɪŋz	
wink	wɪŋk	
winks	wɪŋks	
winked	wɪŋ*k*t	
winking	ˈwɪŋkɪŋ	
winner	ˈwɪnə(r	ˈwɪnə
winners	ˈwɪnəz	ˈwɪnəz
winter	ˈwɪntə(r	ˈwɪntə
winters	ˈwɪntəz	ˈwɪntəz
wipe	waɪp	
wipes	waɪps	
wiped	waɪpt	
wiping	ˈwaɪpɪŋ	
wire	ˈwaɪə(r	ˈwaɪə
wires	ˈwaɪəz	ˈwaɪəz
wired	ˈwaɪəd	ˈwaɪəd
wiring	ˈwaɪərɪŋ	ˈwaɪrɪŋ
wisdom	ˈwɪzdəm	
wise	waɪz	
wiser	ˈwaɪzə(r	ˈwaɪzə
wisest	ˈwaɪzɪst	
wisely	ˈwaɪzlɪ	
wish	wɪʃ	
wishes	ˈwɪʃɪz	
wished	wɪʃt	
wishing	ˈwɪʃɪŋ	
wit	wɪt	
wits	wɪts	
with	wɪð, wɪθ	
withdraw	wɪðˈdrɔˑ, wɪθˈdrɔˑ	
withdraws	wɪðˈdrɔˑz, wɪθˈdrɔˑz	
withdrew	wɪðˈdruˑ, wɪθˈdruˑ	
withdrawn	wɪðˈdrɔˑn wɪθˈdrɔˑn	
withdrawing	wɪðˈdrɔˑɪŋ wɪθˈdrɔˑɪŋ	
wither	ˈwɪðə(r	ˈwɪðə
withers	ˈwɪðəz	ˈwɪðəz
withered	ˈwɪðəd	ˈwɪðəd
withering	ˈwɪðərɪŋ	

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withhold	wɪð′hoʊld	
	wɪθ′hoʊld	
withholds	wɪð′hoʊldz	
	wɪθ′hoʊldz	
withheld	wɪð′hɛld	
	wɪθ′hɛld	
withholding	wɪð′hoʊldɪŋ	
	wɪθ′hoʊldɪŋ	
within	wɪ′ðɪn	
without	wɪ′ðaʊt	
witness	′wɪtnɪs	
witnesses	′wɪtnɪsɪz	
witnessed	′wɪtnɪst	
witnessing	′wɪtnɪsɪŋ	
witted	′wɪtɪd	
wittily	′wɪtɪlɪ	
witty	′wɪtɪ	
wittier	′wɪtɪə(r	′wɪtɪə
wittiest	′wɪtɪst	
WIVES *from* wife	waɪvz	
wolf	wʊlf	
wolves	wʊlvz	
woman	′wʊmən	
women	′wɪmɪn	
WON *from* win	wʌn	
wonder	′wʌndə(r	′wʌndə
wonders	′wʌndəz	′wʌndəz
wondered	′wʌndəd	′wʌndəd
wondering	′wʌndərɪŋ	
wonderful	′wʌndəfʊl	′wʌndəful
wonderfully	′wʌndəfʊlɪ	′wʌndəfulɪ
	′wʌndəfəlɪ	′wʌndəfəlɪ
WON′T = will not	woʊnt	
wood	wʊd	
woods	wʊdz	
wooden	′wʊdn̩	
wool	wʊl	
woollen	′wʊlən	
woolen (*Amer.*)		
word	wɜ·d	wɜəd
words	wɜ·dz	wɜədz
worded	′wɜ·dɪd	′wɜədɪd
wording	′wɜ·dɪŋ	′wɜədɪŋ
wordings	′wɜ·dɪŋz	′wɜədɪŋz
WORE *from* wear	wɔ·(r, wɔə(r	woə
work	wɜ·k	wɜək
works	wɜ·ks	wɜəks

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worked	wɜˈkt	wəəkt
working	ˈwɜˈkɪŋ	ˈwəəkɪŋ
workings	ˈwɜˈkɪŋz	ˈwəəkɪŋz
worker	ˈwɜˈkə(r	ˈwəəkə
workers	ˈwɜˈkəz	ˈwəəkəz
workman	ˈwɜˈkmən	ˈwəəkmən
workmen	ˈwɜˈkmən	ˈwəəkmən
world	wɜˈld	wəəld
worlds	wɜˈldz	wəəldz
worm	wɜˈm	wəəm
worms	wɜˈmz	wəəmz
WORN *from* wear	wɔˈn	woən
worn-out	ˈwɔˈˈnaʊt	ˈwoəˈnaʊt
worry	ˈwʌrɪ	ˈwərɪ
worries	ˈwʌrɪz	ˈwərɪz
worried	ˈwʌrɪd	ˈwərɪd
worrying	ˈwʌrɪŋ	ˈwərɪŋ
worse	wɜˈs	wəəs
worship	ˈwɜˈʃɪp	ˈwəəʃɪp
worships	ˈwɜˈʃɪps	ˈwəəʃɪps
worshipped	ˈwɜˈʃɪpt	ˈwəəʃɪpt
worshipping	ˈwɜˈʃɪpɪŋ	ˈwəəʃɪpɪŋ
worshipper	ˈwɜˈʃɪpə(r	ˈwəəʃɪpə
worshippers	ˈwɜˈʃɪpəz	ˈwəəʃɪpəz
worst	ˈwɜˈst	ˈwəəst
worth	wɜˈθ	wəəθ
worthily	ˈwɜˈðɪlɪ	ˈwəəðɪlɪ
worthless	ˈwɜˈθlɪs	ˈwəəθlɪs
worthlessly	ˈwɜˈθlɪslɪ	ˈwəəθlɪslɪ
worthlessness	ˈwɜˈθlɪsnɪs	ˈwəəθlɪsnɪs
worthy	ˈwɜˈðɪ	ˈwəəðɪ
WOULD *from* will	wʊd *s.f.*	
	wəd, d *w.fs.*	
wound	wuˈnd	
wounds	wuˈndz	
wounded	ˈwuˈndɪd	
wounding	ˈwuˈndɪŋ	
WOUND *from* wind	waʊnd	
WOVE *from* weave	ˈwoʊv	
WOVEN *from* weave	ˈwoʊvən	
wrap	ræp	
wraps	ræps	
wrapped	ræpt	
wrapping	ˈræpɪŋ	
wrapper	ˈræpə(r	ˈræpə
wrappers	ˈræpəz	ˈræpəz
wreath	riˈθ	

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wreaths	riˈðz, riˈθs	
wreck	rɛk	
wrecks	rɛks	
wrecked	rɛkt	
wrecking	ˈrɛkɪŋ	
wrestle	ˈrɛs̩	
wrestles	ˈrɛs̩z	
wrestled	ˈrɛs̩d	
wrestling	ˈrɛslɪŋ	
wrestler	ˈrɛslə(r	ˈrɛslə
wrestlers	ˈrɛsləz	ˈrɛsləz
wretch	rɛtʃ	
wretches	ˈrɛtʃɪz	
wretched	ˈrɛtʃɪd	
wretchedly	ˈrɛtʃɪdlɪ	
wriggle	ˈrɪg̩	
wriggles	ˈrɪg̩z	
wriggled	ˈrɪg̩d	
wriggling	ˈrɪglɪŋ, ˈrɪg̩lɪŋ	
wrinkle	ˈrɪŋk̩	
wrinkles	ˈrɪŋk̩z	
wrinkled	ˈrɪŋk̩d	
wrinkling	ˈrɪŋklɪŋ	
wrist	rɪst	
wrists	rɪsts	
write	raɪt	
writes	raɪts	
wrote	roʊt	
written	ˈrɪtn̩	
writing	ˈraɪtɪŋ	
writer	ˈraɪtə(r	raɪtə
writers	ˈraɪtəz	ˈraɪtəz
writhe	raɪð	
writhes	raɪðz	
writhed	raɪðd	
writhing	ˈraɪðɪŋ	
writing	ˈraɪtɪŋ	
writings	ˈraɪtɪŋz	
wrong	rɒŋ	
wrongs	rɒŋz	
wronged	rɒŋd	
wronging	ˈrɒŋɪŋ	
wrongful	ˈrɒŋfʊl	
wrongfully	ˈrɒŋfʊlɪ, ˈrɒŋfəlɪ	
wrongly	ˈrɒŋlɪ	
wrongness	ˈrɒŋnɪs	
WROTE *from* write	roʊt	

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	X	
X	ɛks	
X's	ˈɛksɪz	
	Y	
Y	waɪ	
Y's	waɪz	
yacht	jɒt	jɑt
yachts	jɒts	jɑts
yachting	ˈjɒtɪŋ	ˈjɑtɪŋ
yard	jɑˑd	jɑəd
yards	jɑˑdz	jɑədz
yarn	jɑˑn	jɑən
yawn	jɔˑn	
yawns	jɔˑnz	
yawned	jɔˑnd	
yawning	ˈjɔˑnɪŋ	
year	jəˑ(r, jɪə(r	jɪə
years	jəˑz, jɪəz	jɪəz
yearly	ˈjəˑlɪ, ˈjɪəlɪ	ˈjɪəlɪ
yell	jɛl	
yells	jɛlz	
yelled	jɛld	
yelling	ˈjɛlɪŋ	
yellow	ˈjɛloʊ	
yellowish	ˈjɛloʊɪʃ	
yellowness	ˈjɛloʊnɪs	
yes	jɛs	
yesterday	ˈjɛstədɪ, ˈjɛstədeɪ	ˈjɛstədɪ, ˈjɛstədeɪ
yet	jɛt	
yield	jiˑld	
yields	jiˑldz	
yielded	ˈjiˑldɪd	
yielding	ˈjiˑldɪŋ	
you	juˑ *s.f.*, ju *w.f.*	
	jə (*occasional weak form*)	
young	jʌŋ	
younger	ˈjʌŋgə(r	ˈjʌŋgə
youngest	ˈjʌŋgɪst	
your	jɔˑ(r, juə(r	juə *s.f.*
	jɔə(r *s.fs.*, jə(r *w.f.*	jə *w.f.*

Traditional Spelling	Received Pronunciation	American Variants
yours	jɔˈz, jɔəz, juəz	juəz
yourself	jɔˈsɛlf, juəˈsɛlf	juəˈsɛlf *s.f.*
	jɔəˈsɛlf *s.fs.*	
	jəˈsɛlf *w.f.*	jəˈsɛlf *w.f.*
yourselves	jɔˈsɛlvz, juəˈsɛlvz	juəˈsɛlvz *s.f.*
	jɔəˈsɛlvz *s.fs.*	
	jəˈsɛlvz *w.f.*	jəˈsɛlvz *w.f.*
youth	juˈθ	
youths	juˈðz	

Z

Z	zɛd	
Z (*Amer.*)		ziˈ
Z's	zɛdz	
Z's (*Amer.*)		ziˈz
zeal	ziˈl	
zero	ˈziərou	ˈziˈrou
zeros	ˈziərouz	ˈziˈrouz
zest	zɛst	
zinc	zɪŋk	
zone	zoun	
zones	zounz	
zoological	zouəˈlɒʤɪkəl	zouəˈlɑʤɪkəl
	zuəˈlɒʤɪkəl	zuəˈlɑʤɪkəl
zoology	zouˈɒləʤi	zouˈɑləʤi

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